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Former Hungarian Premier, M. Nagy greets his five-year-old son, Ladislaus, at the Frontier Post, Scharnwald, Switzerland, where the latter arrived from Hungary on the night of June 2. Little Ladislaus travelled in a large car which was a gift from Marshal Stalin to his father.

9 Expert Committees To Devise Partition

(From Our Correspondent)

NEW DELHI, June 9.

Partition machinery is being installed at the Centre with all possible speed. At least nine expert committees are being set up to divide India, I learn. They will be functioning under a high-power Cabinet Committee consisting of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel, Babu Rajendra Prasad, Mr. Liaquat Ali Khan and Sardar Abdur Rab Nishtar.

STEERING COMMITTEE

There will be a Steering Committee which will work under the Cabinet Committee and coordinate the work of all other Committees.

The Chief Justice of India is being asked to report on the likely adjustments in jurisdiction of the Federal Court and High Courts. The most important Committee will be the Boundary Commission which will separate non-Muslim majority areas from Muslim majority areas. Another equally important Committee will divide the armed forces of India on a purely territorial basis. There will be Committees to report on the issues of domicile and diplomatic relations of India under the partition scheme. There will be another Committee to divide the assets of the Reserve Bank of India including Currency, Mints, Sterling Balances,and also Defence installations The seventh Committee will define commercial relations between the two Indias including commercial treaties, tariffs and make suggestions for an agreement. Lastly there will be a Committee to divide the staff records, of assets of Central Departments and undertakings including Railways, Posts, and Telegraphs, Telephones, Broadcasting, aerodromes and ports.

LEAGUE'S ALTERNATIVES

Word to divide will be given as soon as the Council of the All-India Muslim League and the A. I. C. C. report in the course of this week. Both the bodies it is taken for granted, will approve of June 2 declaration. There will be no other alternative it is claimed here. The League, for instance, has two alternatives namely the May 16 plan and the June 2 plan the former of which it has irrevocably rejected. The Congress mind is already made up in favour of acceptance . The fact that Gandhiji will sponsor the acceptance resolution seal the fate of the oppositionists.

PRESENT GOVT. TO RESIGN?

Soon after Congress-League resolutions are communicated to the Viceroy a definite change in the character of the Central Executive will be effected. The present Government, it is learned, will resign and two care-taker Governments will be set up in its place. The care-takers will continue in office till about August 15 when the Dominion Government is formed two Constituent Assemblies will be installed. The two care-takers will have respective jurisdiction over India and Pakistan and so also will the two Dominion Governments. A notification setting up four Colleges by dividing the members of Bengal and Punjab legislatures will be polished today.

Preliminaries For Partition

Viceroy Summons Leaders For Conference

NEW DELHI, June 9, (A.P.I.): The Viceroy Lord Mountbatten, it is understood, has summoned the Indian leaders to a conference again tomorrow morning

It is learned that the Indian leaders who have had already two conferences with the Viceroy had agree to the setting up of a committee of five of the present Cabinet to work out the preliminaries of the partition. The Viceroy will preside over this committee which will appoint a number of sub-committees to deal with the details of partion.

KNIFE ATTACK IN PYDHONIE

BOMBAY, Monday: A knife attack occurred in Pydhonie area on Monday afternoon, says a press note issued by the Director of Publicity,, Bombay, tonight.

The note adds: Two persons, suspected of spreading rumours, were arrested in Agripada. One of them was carrying a knife.

SIKHS TOO ACCEPT PLAN

(From Our Correspondent)

LAHORE, June 9.

The Mountbatten Plan has been accepted by Sikh leaders who met here today.

A sub-committee consisting of seven members has been formed to present the Sikh case before the Boundary Commission. This committee has also been authorised to deal with important issues arising out of day-to-day work in connection with the impending constitutional change. The committee includes Master Tarasingh, Sardar Baldevsingh, Sardar Swaransingh and Giani Kartarsingh.

The conference also decided to reject the Governor's offer of formation of Divisible Ministry in the Punjab during the interim period.

Another important decision which these Sikh leaders are reported to have taken is to sink or swim with the Congress.

League Council Accepts Truncated Pakistan

Jinnah Empowered To Settle Partition Details

Muslim Demonstrators Fired On: Attempt To Invade Hall

NEW DELHI, June 9. (A.P.I.): The Muslim League Council adopted a resolution tonight accepting HMG's plan as a compromise. Eight Members of the Council voted against the resolution, while some 400 members accepted it.

It is learnt that the resolution, "inter alia," deplored the partition of the two provinces, but nevertheless recommended acceptance of the plan in the interests of peace and tranquillity.

Mr. Jinnah was authorised by the Council to conduct such negotiations as might be necessary for the division of the defence forces, assets and liabilities and other cognate issues arising out of the partition.

The resolution is expected to be released tomorrow afternoon.

JINNAH'S SPEECH

Mr. Jinnah who opened the proceedings with a threequarter hour resume of the events leading up to the announcement of June 3 asked the Council to discuss the plan 'in a free and frank manner'. Mr. Jinnah is reported to have pointed out that he had agreed to Dominion Status for Pakistan for the transition period only, and that it was for Constituent Assembly of Pakistan to decide whether to remain in the British Commonwealth or not. Mr. Jinnah also made an appeal to the delegates from the Frontier to see that the referendum resulted in a clear verdict in favour of Pakistan. One of the members from the Frontier assured Mr. Jinnah that it might be taken as a certainty that. the Pathans would come into Pakistan.

A number of questions were then put to Mr. Jinnah. One of them related to the treatment of minorities in the Indian Union and in Pakistan. Mr. Jinnah reiterated the assurances he had given in the past, that the minorities in Pakistan would get a 'square deal' and that their rights would be protected in every possible manner. He expected the same would be the case in regard to minorities in the Indian Union too, but pointed out that it was obviously a question for the minorities in the Indian Union to take up in their Constituent Assembly.

POLICE OPEN FIRE ON DEMONSTRATORS

Attempt To Invade League Council Hall

NEW DELHI, June 9. (A.P.I.): The police fired two rounds and used tear gas to disperse an unruly crowd of Muslim demonstrators reported to be Khaksars who tried to invade the All-India Muslim League Council session meeting at the Imperial Hotel tonight.

The grill and the lounge of the hotel were closed and armed guards were posted at all corners of the hotel. The demonstrators are alleged to have smashed windows and chairs in the hotel and ran upstairs where the League Council was in session. The armed guards and lathi police soon restored order.

Guests and other boarders of the hotel, who were lounging on the lawns and inside, ran helter-shelter., The guests in the dining hall sat down for their dinner with tearful eyes as the tearsmoke spread into the dining hall.

Mr. Jinnah, however, continued the proceedings of the meeting untrammelled by the disturbances on the ground floor. A few demonstrators, however, are believed to have found their way into the meeting hall, but they were soon ejected.

The police took into custody over a dozen people. A few of them were injured in the scuffle.

It is not clear as to who fired the shots, though people sitting in the lounge heard two revolver shots.

On the top floor of the Hotel Muslim League National Guards and Khaksar demonstrators clashed as the demonstrators sought to force their way into the meeting.

They broke furnitures and smashed glass panes and a few persons sustained injuries. The police rushed to the top floor and restored order.

The demonstrators thereupon ran away, but a dozen of them were taken into custody.

Round about 11 p.m. the Armed police guards withdrew from the hotel. The place looked deserted except for the boarders there. At the foot of the staircase leading up to the hall, where the Council met, were seen stacked a few derelict chairs smashed, the tear-gas lingered on in the lobbies and the place looked deserted.

Nobody appears to have been injured by the couple of revolver shots.

According to an eye-witness, Mr. Jinnah sat on his chair right through impassive, and the proceedings went through smoothly.

A Muslim's Prayer For N. W. F. P.

"May God Save It From Jinnah's Leaguers"

PESHAWAR, June 9, (UPI): Khan Amir Mohammed Khan, President of the Frontier Provincial Congress Committee has issued the following statement:

"I wonder if Mr. Jinnah, President of the All India Muslim League, was at all serious in characterising the Muslim League agitation in Frontier as a movement of peaceful civil disobedience in his broadcast speech on June 3 from the All India Radio, Delhi. I am sure he must have blushed while uttering these words as the statement was glaringly incorrect. The League agitation in Frontier can by no stretch of imagination be called either peaceful or civil. During the last few months his followers were responsible for the murder of hundreds of men, women and children and forcible conversions of a large number of them. Property worth crores of rupees was destroyed through loot and arson which caused untold misery to a section of the population of this province.

"The nature of agitation has been purely communal which struck terror and awe into the minds of all those who had no means of defending themselves. At no time was the question of civil liberties, as is often alleged by him and his followers, ever involved. Whether in Hazara, Mardan, Peshawar, Kohat or D. I. Khan the initiative was always taken by the Leaguers. It was only after they indulged in acts of violence, loot, arson and murder that certain preventive measures were taken and those too were enforced in a half-hearted manner and with an unwilling mind. Our grouse against the Provincial Government has been that they always became wiser after the event. If prompt and proper action had been taken—and I fully appreciate the difficulties of the Provincial Government — much of the killing stabbing and shooting could have been avoided. It was expected of Mr. Jinnah to have condemned them in an unqualified manner. If such is going to be the foretaste of the proposed Pakistan to be set up in North West Frontier Province, I pray to God that He may save our province from this catastrophy. I am a Musalman and I know the teachings of the Islam. At no time the Islam preached killing of the helpless and the slaughter of women and children."

BURMA'S CONSEMBLY TO BE INAUGURATED TO-DAY

Nation-Wide Celebrations To Mark Historic Occasion

RANGOON, June 9, (Reuter): Inauguration of the Burmese Constituent Assembly tomorrow is widely acclaimed here tonight as an important milestone in Burma's march to freedom. It will be a gala day throughout Burma, with mass rallys and demonstrations and passing of resolutions endorsing the popular demand for complete independence as the basis of the nation's future constitution.

Burma's 17,000,000 people will observe the day as a half holiday for celebrating the historic occasion which, in the view of Burmese political observers, heralds the fulfilment of the pledge by the Deputy Chairman of the Interim Government,, U Aung San, of complete independence for Burma this year.

About 50,000 Government servants, labour organisations, members of the volunteer corps and the general public are expected to take part in tomorrow's rally in Rangoon. The demonstrators will then march along the main streets and gather outside the Legislative Assembly Hall where Constituent Assembly members are due to meet at 11 a.m.

All shops, stores and factories will be closed and public transport services will suspend operations until midday.

With the exception of a few representatives from the frontier areas, all members of the Constituent Assembly are already in Rangoon for tomorrow's session which is expected to be brief and formal.

The Burmese Socialist Party Leader and Finance Member of the Interim Government, Thakin Mya, will preside over the inaugural meeting. The Vice-Premier of the Anti-Fascist Peoples Freedom League, Thakin Nu, is likely to be elected the permanent President of the Assembly.

Burmese political observers believe that the work of the constituent Assembly will be completed speedily and smoothly.

It is regarded as certain that the final constitution to be promulgated will embody the fundamental of the Draft Constitution approved by the A.F.P.F.L. convention last month.

The constitution makers, however, will be confronted with a series of problems connected with the frontier peoples' claims and the demands made by the Buddhist Clergy Council. These problems, it is thought, will be thrashed out in private discussions and will not be brought up before the open session of the Constituent Assembly.

Minister G. D. Vartak inspecting Sainiks and Kumars at the King George High School

Why Mahatma Did Not Oppose Congress

Wants To Respect Public Opinion In Favour Of Division

NEW DELHI, June 9. (A.P.I.): In a written message read out after the prayers today Mahatma Gandhi explained the reason for his not actively opposing the Congress acceptance of the new British plan.

When he opposed the partition of India, the message said, he was expressing the will of the people, but now he found that public opinion was overwhelmingly in favour of division and thus under the circumstances he could not persuade himself to coerce the people into accepting his personal views.

TYPICAL LETTER

Gandhiji referred to a typical letter he had received in which the friter had complained that he who had proclaimed that vivisection of India would mean vivisection of himself, had weakened. The writer had also invited him to lead the opposition to the propposed division. He could not plead guilty to the taunt. When he made the statement he was voicing public opinion. But when public opinion was against him, was he to coerce it?

The writer had also argued that he had often held that there was to be no compromise with untruth or evil. The assertion was correct. But the application must also be correct. He made bold to say that if only non-Muslim India was with him, he could show the way to undo the proposed partition. But he freely admitted that he had become, or was rather considered, a back number. They had forgotten the lesson they had learnt for the past 30 years. They had forgotten that untruth was to be conquered by thuth and violence by non-violence, impatience by patience and heat by cold. They had begun to fear their own shadow.

Many had invited him to lead the opposition to division. But there was nothing in common between them and him except the opposition. The basis of his opposition seemed to be wholly different from that of the inviters. Could love and hate combine?

VICEROY WITH 'NAKED SWORD'

The writer had cautoined him that the present Viceroy was more dangerous than his predecessors who dangled before them the naked sword. The present representative had tricked the Congress into submission by his persuasive powers. He wholly dissented from the view. the writers paid a high, though unintended, compliment to the Vceceroy and at the same time belittled the intellectual capacity of the Congress Ministers.

Why could not the writer see the obvious? The country, this. the vocal part of it, was with them. They were no fools. They disliked dismemberment of India as much as any. But they were people's representatives in power. If the writer was in power, things might not have been different. In any case, it was not dignified to sware at the Viceroy if the leaders were ill-chosen or if the people were

Earlier in his message.

Gandhiji referred to certain correspondence he had received to the effect that the Allopanishad he had mentioned in one of his speeches was not to be found in any collection the correspondent had seen. He, the speaker had spoken from memory. He had, therefore referred to a coworker of his who had sent him the reference. In the preface to his collection of which he had recollection, the author had mentioned Allapanishad which had seven Mantras. It was part of the Atharvan group. There was much further information in the letter received by him. This was omitted as being of use only to students not to the general public.

PILLAR VICTORY

Moreover, he had a letter from Prof. Jaychandra Vidyalankar which was read before the meeting. In the letter the learned professor had mentioned Kumbha Rana who was a stauch Sanatani and who would not bow the knee to any Sultan. Pratap Aditya was his descendant. In Chitore there was still extant the pillar victory on which side by side with Brahma, Vishnu and Maheshwar was the name Allah sarxed in bold Arabic letters.

Sultan Jainulabiddin of Kashmir was Kumbha's contemporary. He did not hesitate to accompany Hindu pilgrims on their pilgrimages. He had renovated many Hindu mandirs, some of which were still in existence after five centuries. How Chhatrapati Shivaji and Maharaja Pratap Singh honoured Islam while they fought Muslim potentates was well known.

The learned historian also deplored the fact that our boys were taught false history in schools and incidentally took the speaker to task for his neglect. He recognised the force of the objection and the rebuke how he wished the information would go home to the objectors who were discrediting Hiduism by their behaviour.

LONDON, June 9, (Reuter): Mr. Arthur Henderson, Under-Secretary of State for India, told the House of Commons today that the proposals for a Commercial Treaty with India, which were being considered on the basis of power being transferred in June 1948, have now to be considered in the light of the Prime Minister's statement last Wednesday. He added that he was not at present in a position to say more on this subject.

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NEW YORK, June 9.

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ARAB STATES LINE UP

Will Present Their Case To Palestine Inquiry Committee

BAGDAD, June 9. (A.P.A.): Samir Pasha Alrafai, the Transjordan Premier, said in an interview yesterday that "the political committee of the Arab League has agreed that all the Arab States should present their case to the United Nations Palestine Inquiry Commission.

"Differences on the question have been overcome," he stated "and unanimous agreement reached".

Questioned about the reported formation of an eastern bloc including Transjordan, the Prime Minister declared:

"The Iraqi and Transjordan treaties with Turkey did not intend to form any bloc, but if such an interpretation has been made I do not object."

Eight Killed In Pilibhit Riots

NAINITAL, June 9. (A.P.I): Eight persons have been killed in a communal riot in a village in Pilibhit District.

A press note issued by the U. P. Government says:— A communal riot broke out in the village of Gobel, near Bisalpur in Pilibhit District on June 7. The trouble started when a woman was stabbed in the abdomen which led members of the opposite community to retaliate. This resulted in eight deaths and seven injuries. The District Magistrate visited the scene of the occurrence at once and additional police and military have also reached. The Commissioner and D.I.G. have also proceeded to the spot. Curfew has been enforced in Bisalpur town as a precautionary measure. Mr. Jagan Prasad Rawat Parliamentary Secretary to the Home Minister left for Pilibhit this morning to obtain first hand information on the situation."

CALCUTTA INCIDENTS

CALCUTTA, June 9. (A.P.I.).

Reports of four incidents were received today from Muchipara Bowbazar and entally plice stations, says a Bengal Government press note on the Calcutta situation issued at 9 p. m.

Of the two incidents which occurred in Muchipara area one was serious case of shooting causing the death of one person. Ten persons were taken into custody in this connection.

Nine arrests were made in the Bowbazar area following an assault which proved fatal. The Entally area reported a case of kidnapping leading to the arrest of two persons on the spot.

Four more arrests were made today in Muchipara area following a case of assault and robbery

There is nothing to report from Howrah.

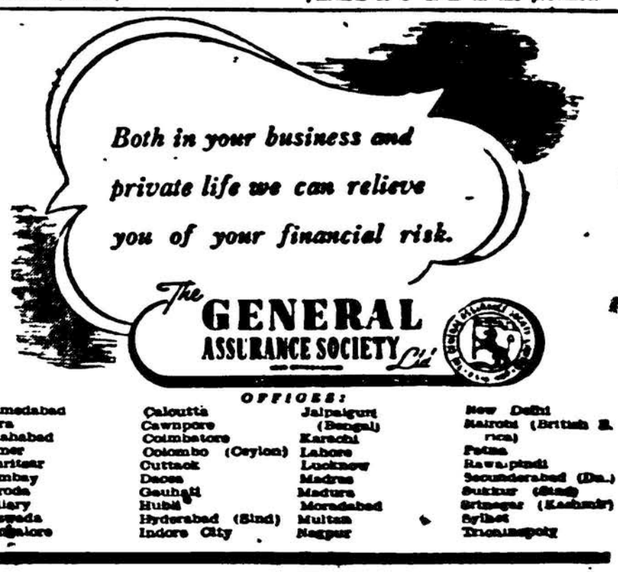
FIRE IN RAWALPINDI

RAWALPINDI, June 9. (A.P.I.): A building comprising two shops and residential quarters was completely gutted in Nirankari Bazar last evening in an accidental fire The fire originated from Haiwal's shop and soon spread.

The city police headed by the city Kotwal and two parachuters rendered help to bring the fire under control

The District Magistrate of Rawalpindi has issued orders prohibiting plying of jeeps or any other vehicle of military type in Rawalpindi District unless it has light green light blue cream or white colours. This restriction shall remain in force till further orders.

LUCKNOW, June 9, (A. P. I.): The U. P. Government have banned the exhibition of the film "The Struggle Women" produced by the United Artists of U. S. A. in the province.



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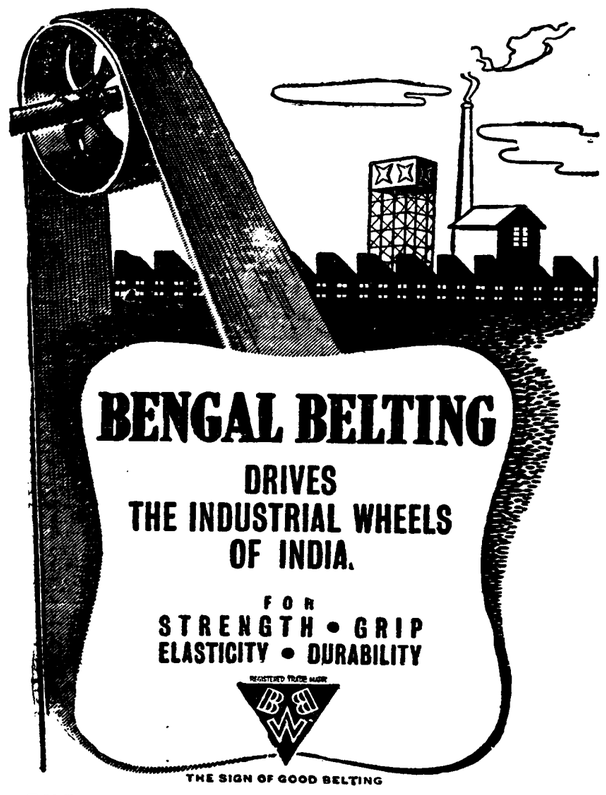

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Victoria Swimming Bath Meet

BOMBAY, Monday.

The following are the results of the Victoria Bath Swimming Gala held at the C.C.I. Swimming pool over the week-end:—

MEN

100 yards free style:— 1 Mansoor I. R. Johnston 2 S. Karmaly 3. Time 60.5 seconds.

100 yards back stroke:— S. C. Mehta 1. K. N. Shah 2. M. R. Merchant 3. Time 1 min. 16.6 seconds.

100 yards breast stroke:— J. Naiganwalla 1. A. Bharucha 2. R. Nanavatty 3. Time 1 min. 19.5 seconds.

200 yards back stroke:— J. Mansoor 1. S. Mehta 2. M. R. Merchant 3. Time 2 min. 50.2 seconds.

200 yards breast stroke:— J. Naiganwalla 1. A. Bharucha 2. R. Nanavatty 3. Time 2 min 51.3 seconds.

400 yards free style:—M. Talbot 1. G. Thacker 2. W. Marty 3. Time 5 min. 18.6. seconds.

Medley Relay (3x100 yards):— Golvala 1. PMH Baths 2. (Maccabi finished second but were disqualified as their main man Mansoor was using a crawl kick in the breast stroke). Time 3 min. 35.9 seconds.

Free style Relay (4x100 yards):— Golvala 1. Maccabi 2. PMH Baths 3. Time 4 min. 13 seconds.

Diving:— M. Greenwell 1. (397.35 points). K. V. Asher 2. (300.11 points) I Mansoor 3. (256.75 points).

WOMEN

100 yards free style:— Lorna King 1. Sandra Episcope 2. Joy Rigg-stanefield 3. Time 1 min. 19.4 seconds.

100 yards back stroke:— N. Bharucha Time 1 min. 33.4 seconds

Liela Wadia was disqualified owing to her incorrectly touching the wall).

The unofficial club positions were. Golvala 1. Maccabi 2. PMH Bath 3.

G.I.P. DEFEAT BOM. GYM. IN SLOPPY MATCH

Harwood League Football

BOMBAY, Monday.

G. I. P.	1
Bom. Gym.	0

The two teams at the bottom of this year's Senior Harwood League football were concerned in a dull and sloppy encounter this evening. Coughton on a wet and slippery surgace the railwaymen who were for the most part unshod strived had to gain a 1-0 lead which was not very certain almost till the final whistle.

The only goal of the match was scored in the 15th minute after the restart by outside-right Shiva who sent in such a weak shot that the almost stumbled into the goal after eluding the prostrate Nelson.

The Gymkhana side had many chances not merely of equalising but of establishing a lead as well but failed with their erratic efforts at the vital end. Fraser Thomson, playing at inside-left was the one player who missed a great deal.

THE TEAMS:

G. I. P.—T D'silva, R. Almeida and D. Ruck R. D'Souza, F. Willmar and B. Fernandes B. Anaji, Tully Duncan, G. D'mello and Shiva.

Bombay Gymkhana— Nelson; Castle and Clark, Collins, Spink and Hertzog; Shith Rutz Diskinson, Fraser—Thomson and Richardson.

Referee—Khan

Tuesday evening at 5-45 p. m. R. A. F. xs Dockyard

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Rangers	6	3	1	2	9	5	7
Docyards	6	3	1	2	11	8	7
R. A .F	5	2	1	2	6	4	5
Somerset	6	3	0	3	8	18	4
G. I. P.	7	2	0	5	9	14	4
Bom.. Gym.	6	0	0	6	1	17	0

Junior League Football

BOMBAY, Monday.

In the Junior League Football Tournament the Parel Students trounced the cotters to the tune of 7 goals to nil. The losers were no match for their opponents who treated the opposition as they pleased.

HIGHEST AFRICAN TEST SCORE

533 Total In First Innings: England 154 For 2 Wkts.

NOTTINGHAM, June 9. (Reuter): South Africa's innings closed for 533 in the first Test at Trent Bridge today. The South African total was their highest Test score ever, beating their 530 against England at Durban eight years ago.

When stumps were drawn for the day, England's total was 154 for two wickets. England had started disastrously by losing Hutton (17) and Washbrook (25) before 50 had been reached.

Indian Stars Shine In County Lawn Tennis

LONDON, June 9. (A.P.A.): Ghaus Mohamed, Iftikhar Ahmed and Dilip Bose of India won their first round matches in the men's singles of the Kent County Lawn Tennis Tournament which opened here today with a formidable list of 18 foreign entries.

Most of the invaders in the men's singles are rehearsing here for the Wimbledon Championships starting in two weeks.

Ghaus ceat C. M. Jones of England 6-2, 7-5; Iftikhar beat E. J. Madelbaum of Egypt 6/1, 6 3, and Dilip beat A. V. Sursock of Egypt 6 1, 6 0.

GOAN SPORTS IN FIRST DIVISION

As the result of their one-love victory over the B.E.S.T. in the Final Championship round of the Second Division, the Goan Sports Club earned the right to figure in the First Division of next season's Hockey League.

KIRKEE FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT.

Kirkee Football Tournament will commence from Sunday. This tournament is open to treams from Kirkee Area only. Entries of only those teams who are affiliated to Maharashtra Football Federation will be accepted. Entries close on Sunday, June 28, 1947 and the entry fee is Rs. 5 excluding the affiliation fees. Further particulars can be had from Mr. G. T. Murti, Bhaw Patel's Chawl Bopodi Kirkee or from Mr. B. L. Awashthi, Cycle Shop, Old Bazar Kirkee.

DEVELOPING BHATKAL PORT

Conference Of Representatives

BOMBAY, Monday.

The conference of the representatives of the Governments of Bombay, Madras and Mysore, convened by the Transport Department of the Government of India, to discuss the question of the development of Bhatkal Port, will be held at the Bombay Port Trust on Tuesday morning. Dr. John Mathai, Transport Member, Government of India, will preside over the conference. Bombay will be represented by Mr. Morarji Desai, Home Minister, and Mr. M. P. Patil, Minister for Agriculture.

SATARA DEPUTATION MEETS MORARJI DESAI

BOMBAY, Monday.

A deputation of the Satara District Congress Committee led by Mr. Swami Ramananda, President, met Mr. Morarji Desai, Home Minister, Government of Bombay at his residence on Sunday and acquainted him with the latest situation in Satara. The deputationists, it is reported, promised all possible support to the Government in its efforts to stamp out lawlessness in the district, while the Home Minister assured them to take further stringent measures to bring to book the goonda elements.

The Government have so far detained ninety persons under the Bombay Public Safety Act.

MR. AMBALAL PURANI IN BOMBAY

Mr. Ambalal Purani of Sri Aurobindo Ashram, Pondicherry, was in Bombay during the last week. A tea Party was arranged at the Taj Mahal Hotel in his honour, on Saturday (7th June) on behalf of Messrs. Kesheodeo Poddar and P. J. Shroff, when the Hon. Mr. Justice N. H. Bhagwati presided. Mr. Purani spoke for more than an hour on 'some aspects of Aurobindo's work' wherein he dwelt on "the life mission and philosophy of Sri Aurobindo". Nearly two hundred persons attended. Taking advantage of Mr. Purani's presence, Sri Aurobindo Circle arranged his lecture under the presidency of Mr. R. K. Prabhu. There Mr. Purani spoke on "Sri Aurobindo and his mission".

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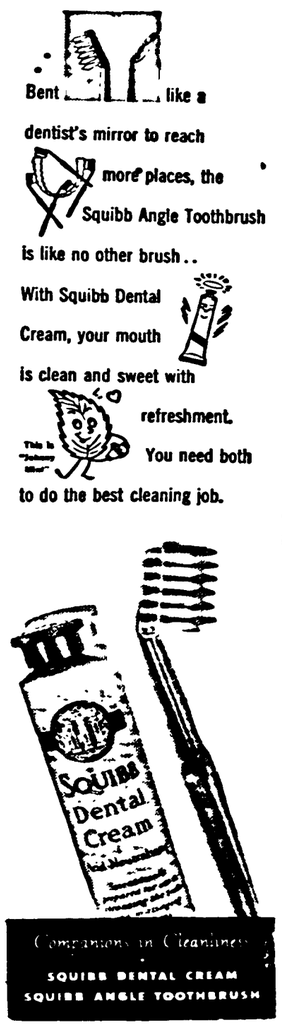

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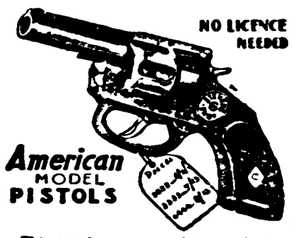

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Today's Engagements

COMMERCIAL BROADCAST LTD.: Inauguration of Stock Exchange Service by Mr. K. K. P. Shroff at Trading Hall of Native Share and Stock Brokers' Association, at 11-30 a.m.

TEA PARTY TO DR. MATTHAI: To Meet the Honourable Dr. John Matthai Member for Transport, Government of India, Mr. Ratilal M. Gandhi, M. L. C., President, Indian Merchants' Chamber, will give a tea party today (Tuesday), at 4-15 p.m; (S. T.). at the Office of the Chamber.

ROTARY CLUB OF BOMBAY: Next weekly meeting will be held today (Tuesday), at 1-45 p.m., on the first floor of Green's Hotel. Rotarian Sir Francis Low, Editor of the "Times of India" will speak on "The Press and the Indian Scene".

SYMPOSIUM OF OPINIONS ON BR. PLAN FOR INDIA.

The Progressive Group has invited the spokesmen of the various political parties to expresse their opinions on the British Plan of June 2. As it is naturally not possible to complete such a comprehensive symposium in a day, it will be divided into three parts, one meeting to be held on each day and to be addressed by three or four speakers at a time. The days will be Tuesday, June 10, Friday, June 13 and Monday, June 16. All the meetings will be held at Green's, at 6 p.m. The following points of view will be represented: Congress, Muslim League, Hindu Mahasabha, Socialist, Communist, Labour, Business, Independent, Army, Women's point of view and Sikh. Today (Tcesday), the following will speak: Congress: Mr. N. Y. Nuris. Labour: Mr. Jamnadas Mehta, Socialist: Mr. Purshotamdas Tricumdas. Women's point of view: Mrs. Mithan Lam.

RASTRABHASHA CLASSES: New Rastrabhasha Classes for the Prambhic, Praveen, Panchya and Kovid examinations of the Rastrabhasha Prachar Samiti, Wardha, which are to be held in the month of September 1947 are conducted at the Aryan Education Society High School (near Opera House Tram Terminus.) 4th floor, on Sundays between 8-30 and 11-30 a.m. There will be Urdu script class also. Those willing to join the classes should see the organisor on Sunday.

WHOLE-MILK POWDER.

The Milk Commissioner, Government of Bombay, informs that the stocks of separated milk powder are about to be exhausted and Government have decided that the stocks of whole-milk powder in hand should be issued instead. Accordingly from June 11, or immediately thereafter the restaurants, hotels and other establishments which hold permits for the separated milk powder will be issued whole-milk powder instead. The issue price of the whole-milk powder will be Rs. 10/8 per tin of 5 lbs. "There shall be no change in the price of a cup of tea or coffee payable by consumers as a result of this change." No new permits for obtaining whole-milk powder for use in tea and coffee are required and the existing separated milk powder will be valid for this purpose also.

ACCOMMODATION FOR MUSLIM STUDENTS: Mr. Abdur Raut Khan, Jt. Secretary of the Bombay Provincial Muslim Students' Federation writes:—The continuous efforts of the B. P. M. S. F. have at last borne fruit. The trustees of the Jaffer Suleman Hostel have kindly agreed to spare 12 rooms for the benefit of students. Each room will accommodate 4 persons and the rent per head per month will be Rs. 2/8. Those desirous of having accommodation should apply to the honorary secretaries on or before the 13th June, 1947 with Rs. 12/8 (Rs. 10 caution money plus Rs. 2/8 rent p.m.). The honorary secretary will be pleased to interview such needy students between 5-30 p.m. and 6-30 p.m. every day.

ALL-INDIA CONFERENCE OF SOCIAL WORK: All Social Service agencies in the city of Bombay and Suburbs should send their representatives on the Organizing Committee of the All-India Conference of Social Work before 30th June, 1947, in case they have not already done so. The office of the conference has been opened at the Servants' of India Society's Home, Sandhurst Road, Girgaum, Bombay, telephone number being 43812.

YOUNG MEN'S HINDU ASSOCIATION: The Sewing and Music Classes specially run for the ladies under the auspices of The Young Men's Hindu Association have opened after the summer vacation.

BOMBAY HUMANITARIAN LEAGUE: Rai Bahadur P. N. Nanda the new Director of Animal Husbandry, Bombay Province, visited Andheri on Sunday, the 8th June when he was taken round by Rao Bahadur J. N. Mankar, Secretary, Bombay Humanitarian League, and shown some of the most prominent stables in that area and acquainted with the conditions prevailing there. He also inspected the League's Depot at Andheri maintained for the scheme for salvaging the City's dry cattle under Government subsidy.

BOMBAY CITY MUSLIM LEAGUE: The following Office-bearers were elected at a meeting of the Ladies Sub-Committee, Bombay City Muslim League, held on Sunday:—
President: Mrs. Rafia Sharif, M.A.; Vice-President: Mrs. Khairu Bai Datoo Bhai; Treasurer: Mrs. Chunawalla; Secretary: Mrs. Hajra Shaikh; Joint Secretary: Mrs. Mirza Akhtar Hasan and Miss Sara S. Ali.

GATHA SOCIETY MEETING: Will be held today (Tuesday), at 6 p.m., at the K. R. Cama Institute Library Hall, Apollo Street. Mr. S. N. Kanga will deliver a public lecture on "The description of the Theory of Creation and Evolution in first three chapters of Farvardin Yasht."

BOMBAY PROVINCIAL FORWARD BLOC: Mr. and Mrs. Hemraj Betai, 'Sevke-Hind', (I. N. A.) who donated all his wealth to the Azad Hind Government, will meet the workers of "A" Ward Forward Bloc, today, at 7 p.m., at the Party Office. Mr. Mukundalal Sircar, Secretary, All-India Forbloc, will preside.

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12-0 p.m. Akashwanine Chotare 12-45 News (M)) 12-50 News (G) 12-55 Dil Pasand Gane 1-25 News (H) 1-30 News (E) 1-40 Lunch-Hour Music 4-20 Vasant rao Rajopadhye (Vocal) 8-40 Kantilal Nayak 5-0 Master Bali 5-15 Menboob Khan 5-45 Topic of the Day 5-55 Locals 6-0 News (E) 6-10 News (H) 6-15 M Sagheer As.f (Thumri) 6 30 Kantilal Nayak 8-45 Vasantrao Rajopadhye (Vocal) 7-0 Datta Davjekar Pad (K. P Khadilkar) 7-15 Master Bali (Sugham) 7-30 Danyansam Shodhan Talk in Marathi by S. R Tikekar 7-45 Film songs 8-0 News (M) 8-15 News (G) 8 30 Bhut Mandal Rupak in Gujarati written and produced by Adi Marzaban 9-0 News (E) 9-15 News (H) 9-30 Programme Parade 9-45 Experiments in Education 10-0 Albert Huff: Barlton 10-15 Gregor Platigorsky: Violoncello "Schelomo" Hebrew Rhapsody: Ernest Block (U. S. I. S. Recoring) 10-35 Johan Cross (Soprano) 10-40 Emmi Marcus: Piano.

OVER 18,500 TONS OF FOODGRAINS REACH BOMBAY

BOMBAY, June 9.

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Arrested For Alleged Theft

BOMBAY, Monday.

Xavier Philip D Penha was arrested by the Police on Sunday on a charge of theft of property worth Rs. 856.

It was stated that the accused while working as a supervisor at a Fountain Pen Depot in Port committed a theft of 15 Parker Pens valued at Rs. 856.

Mr. G. K. Rege, Presidency Magistrate, Esplanade Police Court, ordered the accused to be released on bail.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE NEWS

BOMBAY, June 9.

The Governor of Bombay received the Hon. Mr. M. M. Pakvasa and Rao Saheb N. M. Kale.

His Excellency invested Miss H. M. Saunders with the Insignia of Member of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire.

Miss H. M. Saunders lunched at Government House.

WEATHER NEWS FOR FARMERS: Forecast till the morning of 11-6-1947: —There will be fairly widespread rain in the Konkanpatti, the Bombay Karnatak, the Deccan and Mawal. Rainfall is also likely locally in the in the Hyderabad State, Khandesh and at few places in Gujarat.

Heavy Rainfall Warning:—Locally heavy rain is likely in the Konkanpatti.

Outlook for subsequent 2 days:—Rainfall will increase in Mawal and Khandesh and extend in Gujarat.

MODERN HEALTH HOME

The seventh annual social gathering and prize distribution ceremony of the Modern Health Home was held at R. A. Podar College Hall, Matunga, last Saturday when Mr. B. K. Patel (I.C.S.) Municipal Commissioner presided. Sjt. S. K. Patil (President, B.P.C.C.) who is the president of the Health Home recalled his association with the Institution for a number of years and congratulated the organisers of the function on having selected the Municipal Commissioner as the president of the day's function.

Mr. T. V. Harihar, the Secretary of Home, then read the annual report. This was followed by Yogic Asans by Mr. H. Seshadri one of the members of the Home, Acrobatics by Mr. P. V. Sane, instructive simple keep-fit exercises by the youngsters of the Home and exhibition weight lifting by the members.

After distribution of prizes, Mr. B. K. Patel in his presidential speech thanking the organisers of the function said that he would see to it that such Health-giving services are given all encouragement by the Municipality.

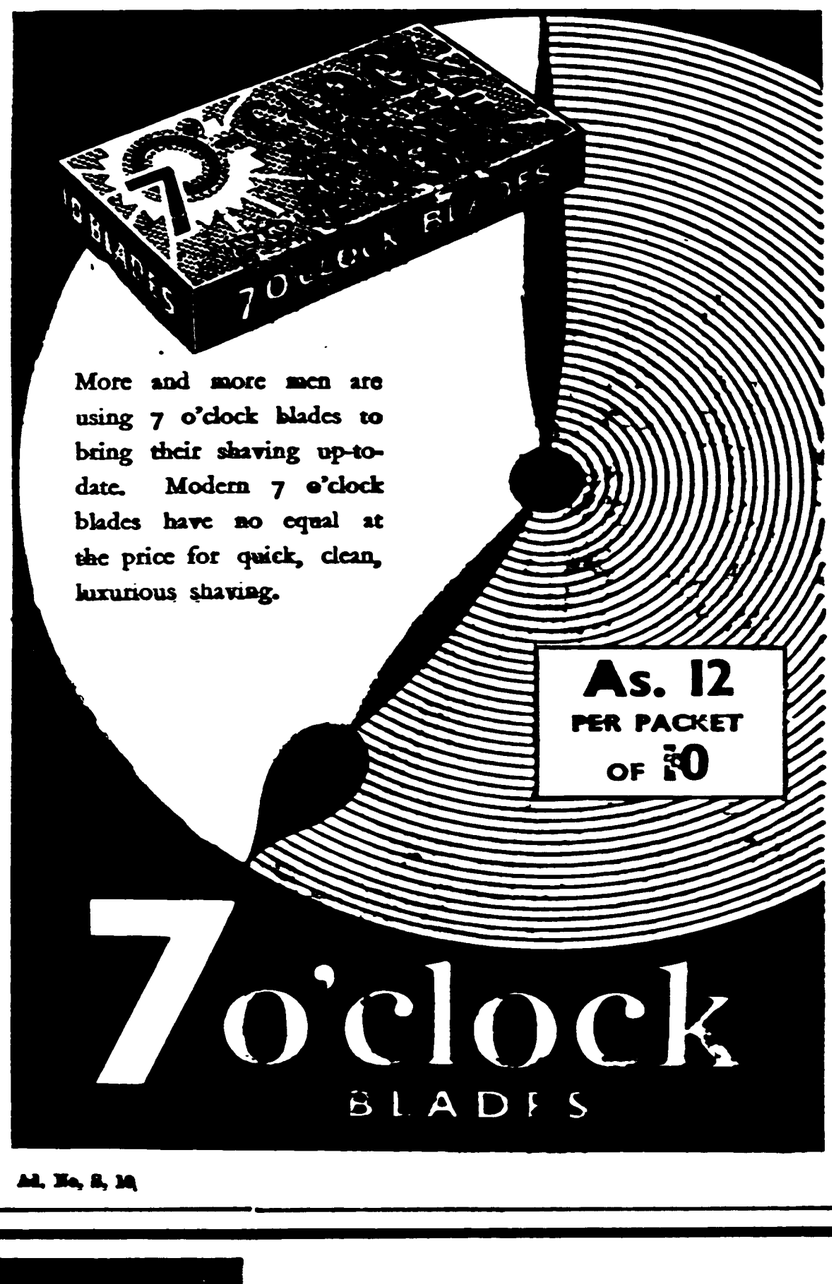
DOCTOR ON HUNGER STRIKE

BOMBAY, Monday.

Dr. Mansen Pushpasen Goregandhi, who was arrested by the police last week following the discovery of an alleged 'underground arsenal' at Tardeo, is reported to have gone on hunger strike since Saturday in the Dongri Police Station lock-up.

It is understood that Dr. Goregandhi, who is the owner of the premises where the 'factory' was reported to have been found, resorted to hunger strike to protest against the alleged action of the Police in not allowing him to see his relatives, a privilege stated to have been granted by the Chief Presidency Magistrate, who ordered his remand into police custody.

Further, he was removed from the Gamdevi lock-up to the Dongri lock-up against his wishes.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ALL-INDIA WEATHER

POONA, June 9, (A. P. I.): Following is the weather chart showing maximum and minimum temperatures and rainfall in inches during past 24 hours, from 1st June, 1947 and departure from normal recorded at 08-00 hours (I. S. T.), on 9th June 1947:—Ahmedabad 101 83 0 0 0, Akola 91 79 0 0.8 minus 0.2, Allahabad 107 86 0 0.1 minus 0.2, Aurangabad 98 74 0 0.1 minus 1.1, Bangalore 83 66 0.1 1.6 plus 0.1, Belgaum 85 70 1.2 plus minus 1.0, Bhopal 81 73 T 1.4 plus 9.8, Bhuj 97 71 0 0 minus 0.1. BOMBAY 94 83 T 0.1 minus 3.1, Calcutta 95 75 1.7 4.1 plus 1.9, Cawnpore 107 88 0 0.4 0.2, Cherrapunji 68 65 3.3 53.6 plus 9.5, Colombo 85 78 0.4 6.2 plus 2.8, Dehra Dun 96 80 0 0.8 plus 0.2, Delhi 111 94 0 0 minus 0.2, Gulbarga 91 73 0.8 1.0 minus 0.2 Honavar 81 nil nil nil nil. Hyderabad (Dn.) 89 75 0.4 2.1 minus 0.8, Hyderabad (Sd.) 103 84 0 0 0, Indore 95 75 0.2 0.2 minus 0.6, Jubbulpore 86 80 0 0.8 plus 0.7, Karachi 89 84 0 0 0, Khandwa 96 87 0 0 minus 0.8, Lahore 118 85 0 0 minus 3.2, Madras 100 85 0 0 minus 0.6, Mangalore 83 nil nil nil nil, Maragao 83 75 6.4 8.8 plus 2.8, Multan 115 88 0 0 0, Mussoorie nil, Nagpur 95 79 0. 0.5 minus 1.1, Nagapatam 98 78 0 0 minus 0.3, Ootacamund 63 53 0.1 0.9 minus 1.7, Pachmarhi 92 67 0.1 2.4 plus 1.9, Patna 95 1.8 1.8 plus 1.2, Poona 94 77 0 0 minus 1.3, Raichur 94 74 0.2 1.2 plus 0.4, Rajkot 102 81 0 0 minus 0.1, Rawalpindi 117 84 0 0 minus 0.3, Sholapur 94 74 0.9 2.5 plus 0.6, Srinagar 92 62 0 0.8 plus 0.5, Surat 95 84 0 0.1 minus 0.5 Udaipur 7 7 7 0 0 minus 0.6.

EARTHQUAKE SHOCK RECORDED.

POONA, June 9, (A. P. I.): An earthquake shock of moderate intensity, with its epicentre about 3,400 miles away from Bombay, was recorded by the seismograph at the Colaba Observatory, at 9-7 a.m. (I. S. T.), on Sunday, June 8.

A THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

"An Englishman is never in the wrong. He does everything on principle. He fights you on patriotic principles, he robs you on business principle; he enslaves you on imperial principles; he bullies you on manly principles; he supports his king on loyal principles and cuts off his king's head on republican principles".

—BERNARD SHAW

The Bombay Chronicle

MAHASABHA AND HINDUS

It is a tribute to the patriotism of Hindus and their sense of Indian Nationalism that fanatical Hindu Mahasabha propaganda has never succeeded in playing upon their sentiments. For years the Hindu Mahasabha leaders have been making wild appeals to them but all those appeals have been received with amusement and have not even been taken seriously enough to cause annoyance. The Mahasabha could never make any impression on Indian national politics as is witnessed by two facts, namely, that allegiance to it is just about as numerous as to the Liberal Party and that it has invariably been swamped at the elections. A splendid proof of Hindu adherence to real patriotism and obligation to true nationalism is furnished by the remarkable fact that, during all these years of intense and mad internal strife and furious two-nation propaganda by the Muslim League, they have stood in unshaken loyalty by the Congress which symbolises Indian nationalism without distinction of creed or caste. This is the only right and moral attitude. For the children of mother India are all one and equal.

The Mahasabha, as we say, does not represent the political ideals and objectives of the Hindu community or the people of India. But, in the present critical period in India's history when grave changes are taking place, its voice, though insignificant, may cause mischief and must, therefore, be severely condemned. Mahasabha leaders met at Delhi the other day and indulged in wild irresponsible talk which may do credit to their passions and prejudices but which lacked even ordinary commonsense, let alone foresight and which is calculated to harm the future of India. The All-India Committee of the Hindu Mahasabha passed a number of resolutions with one of which every Indian nationalist agrees, namely extreme disappointment at the division but coupled with the decision to accept it as a necessary, unavoidable evil. Except for this resolution, however, there is little in the proceedings which does not cause pain and also astonishment at the capacity of otherwise sensible and able men to lose their sense of proportion and realities and their mental balance.

Indian unity has to be re-won and disintegration of the country undone. What for? "To build up a real and powerful Hindu State" And Hindus are called upon to be "more careful in future and take immediate and effective steps" for that purpose. Then another resolution asks Provincial Governments, apart from reducing the proportion of Muslims in the services, "to arm immediately all Hindus and Sikhs" and "to start immediately Hindu and Sikh militia in their provinces ....".

The background to all this is supplied by Dr. Shyama Prasad Mukerjee in an amazing speech in which he talked of rousing "Hindu consciousness among the masses in an effort to force the Government in power to Hinduise the future Dominion" and realising "the ideal of Hindu Raj" and "Hindu State". Apart from the blow that such aspirations strike at the very root of Indian nationalism and the existence of minorities what does this all convey? What do they intend, in the name of Hinduism—the greatest glory of which is freedom from aggressive ambitions and intolerance—to do? Prepare for a war to "Hinduise" India and to make of a re-united India a "Hindu State"? If nothing else, if they are blind to international realities—they would if they could, plunge Asia into a religious war supposing U.N.O allowed them to do so—are they utterly oblivious to the very elementary fact that they are supplying munition to Muslim League propagandists and seeking, so far as it lies in their power, to destroy the possibilities of a re-union between the divided parts of India? It is a thousand mercies that the people of India, of which Hindus from an overwhelmingly large majority, prefer, as they have always preferred, for repositories of their allegiance, loyalty, sentiments, Mahatma Gandhi and the Congress leaders rather than Dr. Shyama Prasad Mukerjee and his friends.

Frankly Speaking

Princely Moves

The two-day session of the Kathiawar Praja Parishad Sammelan held in the city last week-end served a very useful purpose in throwing the spotlight once again on certain vital issues relating to the forces likely to be opening in this country in the wake of the retreating British power. The Mountbatten plan has now settled that what was called British India will be parcelled out between Pakistan and Hindustan. What happens to the 600 and odd Indian States? The British have made it clear that the power of paramountcy exercised by them over the States just lapses. The Princes have conveniently interpreted this to mean that the only curb on their complete autocracy is now removed and they can do what they like. The more loud-mouthed among those in charge of the destinies of the States, like Sir C. P. Ramaswami Iyer, have openly raised the standard of independence. But a number of other States, are credited with similar intentions, although they may have discreetly refrained from shouting their ideas from the house-tops. Smaller States, which fear to stand alone are thinking in terms of Groups and Confederations and "you-scratch-my-back, I scratch-your-back" alliances with brother Princes in order to preserve their power, prestige and prerogatives which may be assailed by the upsurge of their own subjects, on the one hand, and the growing sentiment of national unity on the other. The move for a Federation among the States of Kathiawar, Central India and Rajputana, led by the Jam Saheb of Nawanagar, is one of these attempts at self-preservation.

People's Views

But all such Princely moves, in so far as they are directly opposed to the wishes and interests of the people of India in general and of the subjects of the States in particular, are foredoomed to failure. For, the people of the States are awake. They realise the issues at stake and are organising themselves to push their demands effectively. The resolutions adopted at the Kathiawar Praja Parishad Sammelan and the speeches made presented these issues clearly. One resolution has stated clearly that when paramountcy lapses, sovereignty naturally reverts to the people and the people alone can exercise such sovereignty. Another resolution asserts that Kathiawar and its people (like any other State or group of States) should be part of the independent sovereign republic of India and the States should, therefore, participate in the Constituent Assembly. Finally, as Dr. Pattabhi Seetaramayya, the president of the Conference pointed out, any union of States must be homogeneous, "culturally united, lingusitically one and ethnologically identical" and not a heterogeneous hotchpotch built to suit the whims or convenience of rulers.

Double Mischief

The Dutch got time to re-establish themselves to some extent in Indonesia and for the rest to create "allies" for themselves from among ambitious people in the country. Having deliberately protracted the negotiations they succeeded in bringing into active being secessionist movements calculated to disrupt and disintegrate the Republic. And today, the leaders of the Indonesian freedom movement, who fought so hard and gallantly for the independence of their country and had won it but for British intervention, are finding themselves in the same unlucky position as Congress leaders of India. In the circumstances, Dr. Sahriar has been obliged to accept the Dutch proposal for an Interim Government with the proviso that the Republicans should have equal representation in the Cabinet with the Dutch and their allies and that the Dutch Governor-General should have limited powers. Even under this arrangement there are potentialities of further mischief during the next two years or so. But the first question is whether the Dutch, encouraged by their successes so far would not be tempted to seek to cripple Dr. Sahriar's counter-proposals.

Our Readers' Views

Oriental Life Assurance Company

Sir,—The grievances of the employees and general staff of the Oriental Life Assurance & Government Security Company are already before the Board of Directors and it is for the annual meeting to be held on 11th inst. to grant the demands of the Union in the best interest of the Company without much grudge or arguments. The able and experienced trained staff who have been responsible for raising Company to such a high status should be done justice. The new employees should be well cared for. The present heads of the Administrative offices should walk in line with the worker, from now so as to be habitual to be equalled in the fast approaching Mazdoor Raj and thus look forward for a day when "Oriental" will shine as the best Indian Life Assurance Trust, with all its glory, prosperity and fame in a Free India.

24, Sonapur Lane,
Bombay 2.

MADAN S. NAIK
(Policy-holder).

Woes Of Tenants

Sir,—Very recently, I read in the local papers an announcement made by Mr. N. V. Modak, Special Engineer of the Bombay Municipality, to the effect that all landlords are advised to get their buildings examined in time by licensed surveyors as a precautionary measure against collapse during the ensuing monsoon, so that repairs may be carried out in time.

He also admits that during monsoon, a large number of complaints are received on account of leakage through roofs and terraces of buildings.

Perhaps, he is not aware that all such complaints are due to the attitude so adopted by the landlords to extract "Pugree" from new tenants when old tenants leave their occupation on account of these troubles. This is how the fourth degree "ejectment-Pugree" rules are framed by the landlords.

I cite an example of a building in which I stay. Complaints for immediate repairs have long been made by all the tenants and neighbourers of the building both to the municipal authorities and other high officials who rank from the Hon. Housing Minister to a lowest engineering officer, without avail. This is about Bombay, but leave aside the question of the suburban municipal administration where only a stone is served for the bread.

I am afraid, there may be many other tenants of other buildings who are harassed in the aforesaid manner. Still a rebates of 10 p.c. for repairing etc., is allowed to them, when landlords like the owner of my building have not paid municipal taxes and assessment for the last six years. Income-tax, of course is a matter of charity for them and Government is at their mercy because many of the landlords do not maintain proper books of accounts. I state so boldly because I have ample proof for such instances.

I, therefore, earnestly appeal to the powers-that-be to help the tenants in these difficult days when housing problem is not an easy job for them to solve.

Santa-Cruz. "MARY JOSEPH"

Sree Rameswaram Temple

Sir,—I am a Maharashtriya Brahmin and son of Dharmaveer Vishwasrao Davray, a well-known leader. Recently I had been to the temple of god Sree. Rameswaram for having a Darshana, with my mother and son. We were restrained near the silver door, (where a removable bar is fixed) by the Pujari from entering the large Gabhara and having a "darshana" from inside. The reason advanced for this was that, that the Harijans were trying all over India to enter the temples, they may also enter in here and hence that restriction was imposed by the Panchas (Trustees).

In fact it is a right of every caste-Hindu and especially of Brahmins to have "Darsana" of Sree Rameswaram by entering into the large Gabhara (inner hall) and this system has been in vogue since times immemorial. Whether to allow Harijans in temples is a different question. However on that pretext neither the Pujaris nor the Panchas (Trustees) are entitles to put forth any rules restraining the caste Hindus and especially Brahmins. They cannot impose conditions which were never in practice and cannot curtail or infringe the ancient right of caste-Hindus of having "darsana" in a particular manner: and the rule, if any, made by the Panchas etc., overriding the old right and custom as to "Dharsana", is void "ab inito" and "ultra vires." The fun of the matter is that the restrictive rules are made under the pretext that Harijans may enter the temple! The fixing of the bar also seems to be a device invented by the Pujari for restraining the public near the silver door and to keep their "make money" policy going on at the cost of the curtailment of rights of caste Hindus!

People from distant places visit Rameswaram and such wrongful restraint imposed upon them makes them feel that the pilgrimage was not a fruitful one due to the want of "Darsana" of god Rameswaram in a proper way.

I have, therefore, to invite the attention of the public to this behaviour of the Panchas and Pujaris of Sree Rameswaram Temple with a view to protect and preserve the traditional right of caste-Hindu of having "Darsanam" in a proper way. I earnestly request the public to take interest in the matter and to remove the unlawful infringement of the right of "Darsan."

The Government and the Government officials also are duty bound to protect and preserve the traditional rights and I have also to request them, to remove the restrictions referred above, in the interest of the Hindu public.

(P. V. DAVRAY)
(Pleader)

SIVAKASI, May 27.

Naval Accounts Clarks

Sir,—Recently some officers in Naval Accounts have introduced a new system that if a clerk is on leave for two days or is absent on the pay day (1st of the month) his salary will not be paid on any subsequent days, but only on the 10th. I am at a loss to know how a clerk who lives a hand-to-mouth existence can afford to wait until the 10th to take his pay when he has to meet his bills on the first. Hotels invariably refuse to give credit and in the circumstances there is no other go but to starve for 10 days.—Yours, etc.

STARVING CLERK.

Our London Letter

No Dominion Status For Princely India

Pakistan And Hindustan Should Adopt Common Attitude Towards Empire

LONDON, (By Air Mail) (From our own Correspondent)

India was front-page news this morning. Even those popular papers, which usually flash a juicy crime story, brought out India in banners. There is intense relief that atlast an interim solution has been found. Great tributes are paid to Lord Mountbatten who in two short months has performed almost a miracle. Tributes are also paid to the wisdom of Indian leaders. The partition of India is almost universally regretted by friend and foe alike.

The Manchester Guardian" wishes that "our responsibility for India could have been transferred to a central Indian authority and the final decision on partition left to it." An important member of the British Government remarked that the realities of partition may teach the people the wisdom of union. Whether the communities like it or not, Providence has thrown them into a position where they must either co-operate or perish. India may be the home of one or two nations but it is one strategic unity it is one geographical unit, it cannot be divided into a number of Robinson Crusoe islands. There are several matters which must be managed by the two main communities in partnership. There is no getting away from it.

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The weekly (Tribune" is right in saying that it is not being fully realised that the acceptance of Dominion status is not final Indeed, there seems to be the belief that India is going to stay in the Commonwealth. But in actuality the present arrangement is nothing more than an expedient. "It will allow the organisation or evacuation to go forward without delay." Whether India should or should not remain in the Commonwealth is a matter entirely for decision in India by Indian leaders. There are bound to be two opinions on the subject It may not be found to the disadvantage of India to remain in the Commonwealth for, say, a decade. But it will be harmful to the interest of people if one successor state were to remain in the Commonwealth and the other get out of it The successor states will be well-advised to hold consultation before deciding their attitude towards the Commonwealth

FUTURE OF STATES

As regards the Indian states as soon as power is transferred to India, British paramountcy will lapse. They can carry on an independent existence or confederate amongst themselves. What they cannot do is to enter the British Commonwealth as Dominions. Even the biggest state will not be admitted as a Dominion. If any state wants to stick to the Empire, it can do so only as a protectorate, and at present Britain is not in a mood to adopt protectorates. Dominion status is only for those units of the Empire which are self-governing. Ofcourse this does not prevent the States from having treaties of alliance with Britain or any other foreign Power But they sink or swim with the rest of India. Wisdom dictates that they should use their influence to mitigate the evils of partitions either of India or the provinces. Already thoughts are turning to the economic difficulties to which partition will give rise, and those who have the gift of looking beyond their noses and have not entirely lost faith in Indian statesmanship feel that economics, which affect the people's lives more than their communal labels might induce second thoughts. The future is in the lap of Gods. But if we build on the basis of Gandhi-Jinnah appeal we can look forward to getting out of the present perplexities.

NEED FOR TOLERANCE

Therefore, the paramount duty of the leaders is not to say a single word that may cause unpleasantness. The new problems should be tackled not by means of challenge or counter-challenge, but by understanding and tolerance It will not help Hindustan if Pakistan is turned into an economic desert, nor will it help Pakistan if Hindustan is in suffering. Sooner or later, sooner rather than later, economic forces will come into full play and there will be a struggle between capitalism and socialism. That struggle will decide the future of india.

NAGPUR 'VARSITY BEATS REST OF INDIA

Good Progress Made In Preparation Of Scientific Terms In Indian Languages

(From Our Correspondent)

NAGPUR, Dr. Raghu Vir of Lahore who has been entrusted by Nagpur University and the Provincial Government to prepare scientific terminology in Indian Languages and prepare scientific text-books in Hindi and Marathi for Nagpur University, speaking at a press conference on Thursday morning explained the method in which the work was being done.

Dr. Raghu Vir said that after the work of preparing scientific text-books in Hindi and Marathi in Physics, Chemistry, Botany, Zoology and Mathematics had been finished, it will quicken the progress of education of science in India. Retardation would be replaced by acceleration. It will affect the entire education and administration in India. Students would be able to think clearly and not mere cram books. In short there will be a great revolution in educational field.

DR. VIR AND FIVE PROFS.

Dr. Raghu Vir said that with the help of five professors in each of the five subjects he had been able to prepare scientific terminology in Indian languages and already about a thousand pages of the work had been finished. He had adopted two principles in his work, viz. that technical terms should be taken from the Sanskrit language and that each word should have a meaning. He pointed out that the work done by a host of persons all over India had put a limitation on their work, because they worked on a few hundred technical words, while in Nagpur, he had unlimited field. He could coin hundreds of words from one technical word.

Dr. Raghu Vir also revealed that he had already commenced preparing terminology in Indian languages in Commerce, Law and Administration and would be glad to help the Indian language newspapers in preparing terminology for the newspapers in the language in which it is published.

GLORY TO NAGPUR

While other Provincial Governments have merely passed resolutions for introducing Indian languages as media of instruction, the Provincial Government and Nagpur University had started work in right earnest. All glory would go to the C.P. and Berar. The effort and money spent in C.P. will lay the foundation of exit of the English languages from the educational field, just as Britishers will quit the shores of India by June 1948.

The speaker no doubt envisaged difficulties in the interim period from change over from English to Indian languages, but he advised the professors and students to reconcile themselves to the changing times.

In conclusion Dr. Raghu Vir said that Indian terminology would be rich, expressive, distinctive and unambiguous. It will consist of living words. It will help a man of one Science to pass on to another science as he would have known several words of the other science already.

America Faces Famine

Sequel To Dollar Shortage Abroad

NEW YORK, June 9. (I. P. S.): President Truman's administration has been warned that the growing dollar shortage abroad threatens to turn into famine by the end of this year, says the "Wall Street Journal" It is said that this famine would hit the American businessmen hard. Truman's advisers want to make three-way attack on the dollar problem. First phase will come through World Bank and its companion the Monetary Fund. They hope the Bank will move with a reconstruction loan programme. Secondly, way could be found to increase U. S. imports with lower tariffs and American private investments abroad. Thirdly, programme of the direct loans and grants and U. S. treasury will be undertaken.

DR. MATHAI IN BOMBAY

Five-Day Crowded Programme

BOMBAY, June 8. (A.P.I.): Dr. John Mathai, Transport Member, Government of India, arrived here by the Frontier Mail today on a five-day visit to the city.

The Transport Member will preside over a conference of representatives of the Bombay, Madras and Mysore Governments to discuss the proposed development of Bhaktal port.

On June 11, Dr. John Mathai will preside over the annual conference of the General Managers of Railways to be held at the offices of the G.I.P. Railway.

During his stay in the city, the Transport Member will be entertained to a luncheon party by the All-India Muslim Chamber of Commerce and Industry. He will also meet the Committees of the Indian Merchants' Chamber, the Marwari Chamber of Commerce and the Western India Automobile Association.

Dr. John Mathai will leave for Delhi on June 13.

Bloodless Brain Surgery

Doctors Discuss Effects Of Mental Illness

NEW YORK, (A.P.A.): Some doctors are questioning how far surgery should go in revamping human brains to relieve mental illness.

The operation to which they object has been done on more than 2,000 persons, mostly in the United States. It is done mainly on persons who are violent or seemingly idiotic and hundreds of these have been transformed to return to their jobs.

Recently, the operation has been used to relieve unbearable pain. The pain still is there, but the patients do not mind it much any more. Only a few of these have been tried.

Now there is discussion of using this surgery as a possible cure for some types of criminals and several such operations have been reported in various sections of America recently.

Differences of opinion are sharp. They go from the term "Jack the brain slasher" to "surgery of the soul."

The operation, known as prefrontal lobotomy, severs the main nerve trunks connecting that part of the brain in the forehead from the main brain behind. This forehead grey matter is one of the greatest differences between men and animals. It is made of two masses of grey matter, shaped somewhat like half-loaves of bread side by side, their rounded ends against the forehead. They are called prefrontal lobes, and in animals they are very small.

This operation first was done in Lisbon, Portugal, in 1936 by Dr. Egas Moniz. It was pioneered a year later in the United States by doctors Walter Freeman and James W. Watts, now of George Washington University's department of neurology. Before Moniz, however, head accidents and brain tumor surgery had indicated that human brains could stand considerable alteration.

BIRTISH VIEW

Opponents say the operation is a pure shot-in-the dark because doctors frankly do not know why improvements come about.

"Are we," asks D. H. Winnicott in the British Medical Journal, to see our countrymen littered with 'cured' mental hospital patients, with permanently deformed brains? and what happens if these methods spread to the treatment of crimmals?

"What guarantees have we that a Bunyan in prison will be allowed to keep his brain intact and his imagination free, or to take a more ordinary case, that a political prisoner should be allowed to maintain his political convictions and his brain?"

"A new habeas corpus is needed now, a habeas cerebrum."

Another British writer asks if society is going to be better for having more or less decerebrated (disconnected brain) robots let loose simply because they have been so mutilated they are incapable of behaving badly.

The British controversy has waxed so sharp that one doctor said another had not been away from Hitlerite Germany long enough to appreciate the English islanders prejudice against trying to do good by force.

The American pioneers write in "progress in neurology and psychiatry" that "people retain the manners of their social upbringing and many of the outward forms of social intercourse, but they are direct, practical and uninspired."

EFFECTS ON INTELLIGENCE

There is much discussion of the effects on intelligence. These seem to be small. The Norwegian doctor G. Rylander says the operation decreases the capacity for association of ideas. There is agreement that the patients are less inhibited after operation.

One explanation of the seeming miraculous recoveries is that emotions are rechanneled by the surgeon's knife, permitting the patient to see his problems in a different light.

Two dramatic descriptions of the unfortunates before operation have been written by doctors.

"For years on end," say W. Sargant and E. Slater, "destructive, restless, unmanageable, the lope up and down the ward or dash themselves against the walls of the padded room, like a tiger in a cage."

The other, by R. F. Gayle and C. L. Neal states: "Many of these miserable, unhappy, restless individuals who paced the floor, wringing their hands, moaning, groaning, sometimes yelling and screaming, practically always uncommunicative, were transformed into quiet, placid, uncomplaining persons, who showed little concern about their troubles."

BLOODLESS

The operation is nearly bloodless. It has not been perfected fully. Deaths from the operations have been about four per cent.

Relief from unbearable pain appears to rest almost entirely in the patient's point of view. After operation he does not fear pain in advance, does not worry about it.

The pain operations have been confined to unusual cases, including recurrent cancer, locomotor ataxia and hysterical contractures where morphine failed to give much relief.

THREE-STORIED BUILDING COLLAPSES

(From Our Correspondent.)

JUBBULPORE, June 8.

A palatial three-storey concrete reinforced building which was being constructed under the supervision of the Provincial P.W.D. staff at a cost of Rs. 3,00,000 in the premises of the Victoria Hospital, Jubbulpore, to accommodate the nurses, and which was nearing its completion collapsed suddenly yesterday morning at about 8-45 a.m. The eastern wing of the building came down like a house of cards, and it is feared that the whole of the building will now have to be pulled down as a measure of safety. Luckily no body was inside or near-about the building when it collapsed. The authorities are busy investigating into the cause of the collapse.

TÊTE-A-TÊTE

WITHOUT COMMENT

OTTAWA, June 6: "For Canada the over night growth of India to equal partnership does raise a number of questions. One or both of the Indian States for example may bring up the matter of Canada's immigration regulations."—Reuter.

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Sir V. T Krishnamachari of Jaipur and Sardar K. M. Panikkar of Bikaner testify from their experience of the work of the Constituent Assembly that the leaders of British India are desirous of dealing fairly with the States

Maybe But are they prepared to concede the Divine Right of Rulers and —or their Dewans to do what they like?

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Strongly denouncing the June 3 Plan, Mr Sarat Chandra Bose urgently pleads that it is possible even now for Congress and the Muslim League to retrace their steps.

Evidently he suggests that the Congress should reject the division of India and the Muslim League should reject Pakistan. What could be a more practicable and simple solution!

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At its Delhi meeting the All-India Committee of the Hindu Mahasabha has demanded that the same principle on which referendum was proposed in respect of Sylhet in Assam be adopted in respect to the Hindu majority area in Sind and the Chittagong hill tracts in East Bengal.

This demand should be thankfully supported by the Mapiahs and the Muslims of certain "areas" in, for instance, the U.P.

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Deploring the alleged failure of Sikhs to come to an amicable settlement with the Muslim League, Khan Iftikhar Husain Khan of Mamdot (and Pakistan) says that the Sikhs would have secured a homeland and would "also have got complete religious and cultural freedom but now by siding with the Hindu Congress they have carried things too far."

So they won't get complete religious and cultural freedom in Pakistan now?

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It was reported from New Delhi on Sunday that at the secret sessions of the Muslim League Council, Mr. Jinnah would make preliminary statement but that no formal resolution would be put forward by the Working Committee, the council being left to arrive at its own decisions.

A sort of my-baby-but-you-hold-it arrangement. Which isn't a bad idea at all.

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A League spokesman is reported to have explained that the attitude of the League members when they join the present Hindustan Constituent Assembly would depend on the extent to which they would be accommodated by the majority party in the Assembly.

How it that? aren't there enough chairs and desks in the Assembly Hall?

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According to a Paris report, General De Gaulle was among the thousands whose plans have been disrupted this week-end by the French Railway Worker's strike.

It's an ill wind of a strike that etc. etc.

Production Of Radio-Active Amino-Acid Announced

Will Aid Application Of Atomic Energy To Biological Research

BERKELEY (California), (APA).—Production of the first radio-active amino acid—a step in the application of atomic energy to biological research—has been announced at the University of California.

Tyrosine, one of a number of amino acids which form the foundation of all living matter, was synthesized so that it contained a radio-active form of carbon.

How living organisms put the amino acids together, or rebuild them to apply to individual bodily needs, is one of the prime scientific mysteries.

The addition of radio-active carbon as a tracer element in tyrosine gives scientists a new means of studying this mystery.

The work was done by Dr. J. G. Read, under the direction of Dr. Melvin Calvin, associate Professor of Chemistry, and reported to Science, official publication of American scientists.

The radioactive carbon was a product of the Government's atomic ovens, used primarily to make the explosive material for atomic bombs.

This radioactive stuff, called Carbon 14, gives off feeble rays by which it can be traced through an animal or plan. Thus, when radio-active tyrosine is incorporated into the diet of a living organism, investigators may be able to learn something about the process through which it becomes a part of a living cell.

Amino acids by themselves are non-living substances, but when put together in certain ways by a metabolic process they become living protein, the basic substance of life.

Floods Leave Thousands Homeless In U. S.

Mississippi Reaches Record Crest; Millions Of Dollar Worth Damage

NEW YORK, June 9 (A.P.A.): Freak weather in the United States extending from nearly coast to coast yesterday claimed at least 22 lives, left thousands homeless and several unaccounted for and at the same time caused millions of dollars worth of damage.

Near the centre of the nation where a major flood threat was developing along the Mississippi river, thousands of workers toiled to strengthen the levees after five breaks had permitted the river to overflow into 16 000 acres of farmlands in Missouri and Illinois inundating the town of Alexandria, Missouri.

The Mississippi reached a record crest as the Des Moines river forced its muddy overburden into the larger stream following floods which took at least eleven lives in Iowa.

In Ottumwa, Iowa, 16.000 persons were driven from their homes.

Two persons were drowned in floods at Canton, Ohio.

In the west coast, at Dalles, Oregon, floods sent an eight foot high wall of water coursing down a narrow canyon, taking one life with at least two missing.

Tornadoes added to the destruction elsewhere, with at least five big and five small towns in Pennyslvania and Ohio partially wrecked.

Polish Terrorist Organisation Apprehended

LONDON, June 8 (Reuter).—The Polish Ministry of National Security issued a communique stating that several members of a terrorist organisation, "headed by General Wladyslaw Anders' Freedom and Independence Movement", had been apprehended, the Warsaw Radio said tonight.

Quoting the communique the Radio said: "The members of this organisation have supplied intelligence to their centre abroad and have organised terrorist acts against members of the Government administration.

"This underground organisation was also engaged in subversive activities trying to incite workers to strike and tried to establish footholds in mass working organisations in order to sabotage the economic restoration of the country.

"The organisation is also engaged in anti-Soviet propaganda and also collected information concerning military matters."

General Wladyslaw Anders, former Commander of the Polish Second Corps in Italy, was alleged to have ordered the setting up of an underground organisation of "Freedom and Independence" at a treason trial for ten Poles held in Warsaw.

JET PROPELLED PLANES AS COMMERCIAL PROPOSITION

Commodore Frank Whittle's View

SHANNON AIRPORT (Eire), June 9 (Reuter).—There is no reason why jet propulsion should not be introduced on Trans-Atlantic planes almost immediately, according to Commodore Frank Whittle, pioneer of the jet propelled engine.

Commodore Whittle who arrived here last night from New York said: "The engines have progressed sufficiently in development, but the hold up is lack of suitable air pressurization and cabin structure to enable these planes to operate at about 40,000 feet at which altitude jet is more effective.

"It is my guess and only a guess that it will be at least 20 years before jet propelled planes will be a commercial proposition at supersonic speed (750 miles per hour) but in fact in three to five years time you will see experimental flights.

"The question of speeding through the air will never be distressing to a passenger. The plane we travelled in today averaged 340 miles per hour and yet the passengers did not feel the movement.

"It would be the same at 1,000 miles per hour which at 50,000 feet is the feasible jet velocity in time to come."

A great drawback with the use of the jet in commercial aviation was going to be the congestion caused at crowded airports such as Laguardia, New York, Commodore Whittle said.

He added: "Air traffic control must be developed so as to prevent powerful airliners of the future burning up valuable fuel and wasting the time they have gained in cruising around the airport of their destination. Jet propulsion and high speed would not increase passenger rates.

"It is estimated that at 600 miles per hour a jet propulsion airliner can be operated at two thirds the present costs. Fuel and maintenance are cheaper, meals will not be required aboard except in round the world flights and fewer crew members will be required."

Victim Of Hot Weather Loses Rs. 2,405

BOMBAY, Monday.

The recent heat-wave in the city was indirectly responsible for the loss of Rs. 2,405 to a citizen of Bombay, when he went to refresh himself at a water tap in the compound of a building at New Foras Road on Saturday.

While walking along the road in the afternoon the victim felt the heat, and on seeing a water-tap, in the compound of a building ran up to it. He hurriedly removed his coat hung it on a nearby wall, and started douching his head in the cool water. He felt so refreshed after the wash, that he forgot all about his coat, which contained Rs. 2,000 in cash, and a old wrist watch, and walked away.

After walking a little distance, the thought of his valuable coat flashed through his mind and he ran back to the tap, but his coat was missing.

A complaint was lodged with the Police, who on enquiries arrested one, Nagar Husul Surenji, on suspicion. The arrested person, it is alleged, was standing near the water tap at the time of the victim's distraction.

He was placed before Mr. Elias, Presidency Magistrate to-day, and was remanded into Police custody.

LAHORE, June 6, (API): An emergent meeting of the Executive Committee of the Punjab Congress Assembly party will be held on Wednesday the 11th June at 3 p.m. in Lajpatrai Hall.

British 'Domestics' To Get National Training

Unique Social Experiment Will Lend Dignity To House-Work

(BY JOANNA CHASE.)

One of the most comprehensive social experiments that has yet been launched in Britain was begun recently in a house in Mount Street, London.

It is an experiment that will be watched by women all over the world, for it seeks to provide, through State training, a high-grade professional service of domestic workers for homes.

At the beginning of this century domestic service, after years of long hours in large houses without labour-saving facilities, had fallen into disrepute. Britain's girls preferred to go into factories, shops or offices than earn their living helping to care for a home.

ACUTE SHORTAGE

The shortage of domestic help became acute — and then in 1944 the Government appointed two women to make an enquiry into the whole problem. In 1945 they presented a report and recommendations; last year a National Institute of Houseworkers was formed, with Dorothy Elliott as Chairman, to implement proper standards of training, of work and of wages for girls who wished to make domestic work their career.

In the Mount Street house, girls who wish to train as houseworkers, women who wish to employ them when trained will be interviewed—and women from all over the world who want to see the scheme at work will be welcomed to have a meal and a chat. It is hoped to have one or two bedrooms available in the house for overseas visitors so that they may spend sufficient time at the administrative end of the experiment to see exactly how it works.

For the first year the Government has made an allocation of £200.000—the initial cost of the premises to train the girls, and allowances while they are training.

Girls under 18 will take courses in housecraft, lasting nine months, which will be followed by a few months work in selected private households to give them practical experience. During the time of their work in private homes they will be paid, but will continue to attend at the Institute for half-a-day each week.

RESIDENTIAL COURSE

From 18 years and upwards young women will take a six months' residential course at one of the houses taken by the Institute. So far 11 of these houses have been scheduled, each in the divided charge of an organiser, and a domestic-science trained woman. Students will study health education, household organisation, cooking, laundry work, needlework, elementary child care and the general duties of the good citizen.

At the end of the training time each girl will take an examination, and if she passes, will be awarded a diploma, and have the right to wear the uniform and badge of the Institute. In each house it is hoped to accommodate 45 students, working in groups of 15.

This tremendous experiment seeks to establish not only a high standard of housecraft among domestic workers, but to put this highly skilled job into an acknowledged professional category similar to nursing, where all who take it up will have received not only a thorough basic training, but in the pursuance of their duties will receive a recognised scale of wages and work under proper conditions.

There are, of course, a number of women already in domestic work who may not have the time to take this national training, or who even may have been fully trained in private homes. For these, the Institute offers an opportunity to take their standard examination in housecraft, and the right to wear the badge and become Associate Members if they pass the examination.

DAILY WORKERS

The Institute plans to run a panel of workers who will go out daily into private households for a fixed sum an hour. The whole scheme is being operated with the co-operation of headmistresses, domestic science teachers and labour exchanges.

In addition to the training and supply of workers, a research centre is to be set up to go into the economics of household problems; one of the first research jobs will be to work out for what size household various labour-saving gadgets, such as washing machines, are really a saving of time and money; how much the housewife can afford to spend on equipment in relation to her own budget, and what time is needed to keep a home running perfectly by the practical trained worker.

The whole idea is being watched with great interest by Britain's housewives; they know it may be a year or more before workers are available in any great numbers, but the terms of reference are now clear, recruitment has begun and with it the revolution and evolution of the work of a whole body of women, whose job and privilege it is to keep family life whole and stable through the medium of happily run homes.

News In Brief

CANBERRA, June 9, (Reuter): The future of Pacific bases, including Manus island in the admiralty group, was believed to have been discussed when Mr. Robert Butler, the United States Ambassador to Australia, and Admiral Louis Denfield, the United States Pacific Fleet Commander, met Dr. Herbert Evatt, Minister for External Affairs in Canberra. No official statement was issued.

NEW DELHI, June 9, (A. P. I.): The Governor-General has appointed the Hon'ble Sir Sayid Fazlali, Chief Justice of the Patna High Court, to act as a judge of the Federal Court from June 9, 1947, in the vacancy caused by the resignation of the Honourable Sir Muhammad Zafrulla Khan, says a communique.

WASHINGTON, June 9, (Reuter): President Truman said today "it is my hope, as it is the hope of the American people, that the aid which we extend to Greece will help bring about speedy restoration of tranquillity, of economic stability and of national unity which will assure the Greek people the possibility of working towards a happier future through maintenance and development of free institutions".

The President made this statement when the new Greek Ambassador, M. Vassila Dendramis, presented his credentials at White House.

RANGOON, June 9 (Reuter): Burma will try her utmost to foster foreign trade especially trade with India, declared U. Ba Win the newly appointed commerce and supply member of the Burmese Interim Government in an interview here today.

PATNA, June 9, (A. P. I.): Sixteen live bombs weighing about two seers each concealed in a wooden box marked "gass with care" were recovered there yesterday. The religious head of a place of worship was arrested in this connection.

Jack Kramer Prepares For Wimbledon

LONDON, June 8 (Reuter).—Jack Kramer, leading lawn tennis player in the United States and almost certainly in the world today, has set his heart on winning the Wimbledon title, a title which every lawn tennis player in the world greatly covets. Last year, it will be recalled his surprising defeat against the Czech champion Jaroslav Drobny in the quarter-finals was chiefly due to blisters on his hands. But he was probably not in tiptop condition which partly accounted for his downfall. His subsequent play in winning the United States title and in the Davis Cup challenge round, which he helped to take back to the United States, showed clearly that he was not himself at Wimbledon. To make sure of the title this year he has gone into strict training and will spend much of his time in England preparing for championships in a gymnasium.

He will fortify himself with luscious steaks which the British Rationing being what it is, will have to be flown over to him. This he has arranged as American golfers did before him when over here last month for the Ryder Cup contest. Jack Kramer thinks he can do likewise. The men's singles title will not be defended by Champion Yvon Petra of France as this great giant is still nursing an injured leg. French Champion Marcel Bernard will also be an absentee and it is hard to see which player can prevent Kramer from carrying off the title especially as he has taken every precaution to see that he takes the court 100 per cent fit.

BIKANER & JAIPUR PREMIERS' APPEAL

All States Must Join Consembly Immediately

NEW DELHI, June 8, (A. P. I.): Sir V. T. Krishnamachari, Prime Minister of Jaipur and Sardar K. M. Panikkar, Prime Minister of Bikaner, in a joint statement issued today appeal to all states to join the Constituent Assembly at the earliest possible date "so that their co-operation and assistance may be available to those engaged in the task of giving shape and form to India's new constitution".

They say: "The Viceroy's announcement of June 3 has made the participation of the states in the Constituent Assembly a matter of extreme importance. The special relationship of the Crown with Indian states will cease on August 15. When the new Dominion or Dominions come into being the interests of the states can only be safeguarded by the establishment of a fresh system of relationship freely negotiated with the representatives of British India. There is also the question of evolving a suitable constitution for the Union of India in which an honourable position is secured for the states and their interests and rights are adequately safeguarded.

"Our experience of the work of the Constituent Assembly has strengthened our conviction that the leaders of British India are not only desirous of dealing fairly with the states, but are anxious to find just and equitable solutions of the problems arising out of a constitutional association of the two parts of India which has now to replace the working Union that had been created by the authority of the crown.

V. J. T. Offers Special Sholarships

Ten special scholarships each of the value of Rs. 35 p. m. or such other reduced value as may be determined by the Government, tenable for four years will be awarded during the year 1947-48 to students who wish to prosecure the course of studies under Diploma courses in the Victoria Jubilee Technical I nstitute Bombay.

Out of these ten scholarships five will be awarded to students from intermediate classes, two to students from backward classes and three to Muslim students.

The scholarships will only be granted to candidates who pass the entrance examination of the V. J. Technical Institute satisfactorily and obtain admission to the diploma courses.

Intending candidates should send their applications in the prescribed from, for above scholarships, through the Principal of the Institute, to the Director of Industries, Bombay who will make the final selection before July 15, 1947.

Complete information about the above scholarships and the application forms can be had from the Principal of the Institute.

Women Give Knitting Demonstrations In Court

MARITZBERG (Reuter): A dispute between two African women over the ownership of a blue jersey led to a knitting demonstration—with pencils and a length of string—in the Magistrate's Court here recently.

Miriam Tshangasi was charged with stealing the jersey. She said that not only had she not stolen it, but that it was her own property which she had knitted herself.

Mary Ywala, however, as stoutly maintained that the jersey had been stolen from her. It was hers—she had knitted it herself.

To solve the problem the Magistrate, Mr. C.M.P. Strauss, called for two pencils and a piece of string. He ordered each woman to give a demonstration of knitting. They obliged —and each proved to be as capable as the other.

Mary, the complainant, said that round the edge of the disputed jersey she had knitted in a piece of ribbon. The ribbon was not there now, but it was obvious from inspection that it had been removed. Miriam was eventually found guilty of having stolen the jersey and remanded for record.

NEW ENGLISH WEEKLY FOR C. P.

(From Our Correspondent.)

JUBBULPORE, June 8.

A joint-stock company with Rai Bahadur P. C. Bose, C.I.E., ex-Minister and President, the Municipal Committee, Jubbulpore, has been formed here with the object of providing a strong Hindu Press in C.P. and Berar.

The first paper under this group to appear will be an English weekly entitled the "Spark" and it will be edited by Mr. H. V. Dugvekar, a well-known journalist. The paper will be published simultaneously from Jubbulpore and Nagpur to serve the Hindi and Marathi zones of the Province.

SHORTAGE OF SALT

NEW DELHI, (By Mail.)

The Committee of the Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry have issued an appeal to all the Chambers of Commerce and Trade Associations which are in the membership of the Federation in regard to the shortage of salt that is being felt in large parts of the country at present. The appeal says that the Committee of the Federation are confident that the business community would rise to the occasion and evince a spirit of social service and even sacrifice for the sake of the good name off the community.

RIVAL LOVERS FIGHT DUEL

NEW YORK, (Reuter):

Emilio Capeto, aged 69 and John L. Cook, aged 67, were seriously injured after a duel over the affection of a woman.

Both men, who are residents of a soldiers home, used canes at close range.

AUSTRALIA TO DEMAND JAP TEXTILES

Reparations Issue

CANBERRA.

Australia's main reparations claims on Japan will probably be for textiles, and perhaps machinery and whaling vessels.

An Australian textile mission is already in Japan.

It was stated on behalf of the Government that Australia was not likely to seek any Japanese naval or merchant ships because Australian experts believed they would be more of a liability than advantage.

The Australian Government's attitude towards reparations was designed to avoid endangering Japan's economic stability, and to see that claims did not make her a burden to the United Nations.

A Government spokesman stated that to strip Japan of capital equipment as reparations payment might convert the country into a slave state, dependent upon other nations. Australia wished to avoid this situation. He recalled that Australia had opposed the stripping of capital equipment from Germany, which was now dependent upon the United Nations for loans for re-establishment. Australia did not regard the decisions of the Far Eastern Commission on the subject of reparations as final.

CZECHS WELCOME FOREIGN CAPITAL

LONDON, (APA): Foreign capital is welcomed in Czechoslovakia and may be very useful in undertakings not primarily concerned with production and outside the nationalisation programme, Deputy Premier Zdenek Fierlinger said during a recent visit here. He warned, however: "experience shows that little and medium sized states which get top-heavy with foreign investments begin to feel that their independence is limited—that there is too much uncomfortable pressure from abroad."

KOTLA MP'S TO BOYCOTT POLITICS

CAIRO, (Reuter):

Members of Parliament belonging to the Kotla (Independent Wafdist Bloc), led by Makram Ebeid Pasha, have decided to walk out every time there is a discussion of the political situation.

This decision is said to have been taken in protest against "interruption" whenever they spoke either in the Chamber of the Senate.

TURNS THE LIGHT ON BY RADIO

JOHANNESBURG, (Reuter)

A Johannesburg radio engineer has invented and built an apparatus which transmits power by radio and causes electric lamps to light, electric elements to heat and electric motors to be driven without any direct physical connections between the source of transmission and the point of reception.

He is Mr. A. Levington, A.M.I.R.E. He foresees the day when planes, ships and motor cars will not need to carry fuel. They will be driven by electro-magnetic radiation.

INDUCEMENT TO MARRY

CANBERRA, (Reuter):

Alarmed at Australia's declining birthrate, the Commonwealth Government is considering the granting of marriage allowances to young couples.

The Minister for Health and Social Services (Senator McKenna) said that the Government had been studying the successful results obtained from granting marriage allowances in Germany.

He could not indicate what form the allowances would take or how large they would be.

Only three countries, Russia, Germany and the Argentine, had given allowances to young married couples. They had been very successful, Senator McKenna added.

It is believed the Government will make renewed efforts to get the Joint Parliamentary Committee on Social Security functioning.

One of the prime objects of the committee was to examine the question of a marriage allowance.

The Committee was set up originally in 1941, but it has not functioned since the last Parliament. The Government has selected its nominees but is waiting on the Opposition to select its representatives.

The Government has treated the matter as urgent since the Minister for Immigration (Mr. Calwell) disclosed that Australia was "bleeding to death".

Mr. Calwell said that if Australia's population decline continued, there would be no Australia in 50 years.

Believe It Or Not, This God Did All This

(By Eddie Grighton, APA Staff Correspondent.)

SHANGHAI, May 31: Evil days have fallen upon Zeng Wang, the city god, but local Buddhists warn that it will not always be thus. Most large Chinese cities have such a deity. Zeng Wang's temple is one of Shanghai's largest.

Devout Buddhists shake their heads at the petty racketeers who swarm around Zeng Wang's establishment, defiling it with a "thieves market" where one can buy black market American goods, second hand clothing, and such items as fountain pens stole from unwary pedestrians. The commerce goes on practically under Zeng Wang's nose. He gives no sign of displeasure, but Buddhists say that for this sort of thing he can have you boiled in oil or roasted over flames once you die and get into his hands. It seems Zeng Wang keeps books on good deeds and bad for everyone in his jurisdiction for a day of reckoning later on.

Crowds of Chinese flock daily to his temple, but not so much to burn incense as to buy on the black market. There are only a few monks left in the temple, where a caretaker sells incense and accepts donations from the pious. The way these crowds act, it would seem they had forgotten about Zeng Wang, who can reward a good person with a swell layout in his next reincarnation. A man who lives right may be reborn into a noble family, marry beautiful girl, grow rich, and have many children, preferably boys. A criminal, on the other hand, might be reborn a rickshaw-puller, and if he had sinned in a particularly vile manner he might wind up as some four-footed animal this would be after appropriate brouing and pan-frying.

No one considers Zeng Wang infallible, of course; mythology makes that clear. There was a time when he reincarnated a good man as a pig. He saw his error soon, and went to great trouble to fix it, but it wasn't easy. The soul of the pig had to be recalled and the whole thing repeated. The pig was caused to commit suicide by dashing its head against a wall, and the newly-freed soul was placed on the wheel of destiny. A spin of the wheel and a rich family had a new baby boy.

However, in his haste Zeng Wang made another mistake. He forgot to give the soul a good snort of the drink forgetfulness, which is necessary in reincarnation to wipe out all memory of former life. The newly born child grew up in the rich family, and remembered everything that had happened to him, including the part where he was a pig.

Naturally he talked; his friends heard about it and told others. That's how I heard it, and it just shows you can't be too careful.

CURFEW ORDERS FIGURE IN BOMBAY CORPORATION

Move To Censure Govt. On "Failure" To Check Disturbances Fails

BOMBAY Monday.

A resolution asking the Mayor to convey to the Bombay Government the concern of the Bombay Municipal Corporation at "the failure to check the disturbances notwithstanding the assumption of extraordinary powers" was defeated at the Corporation meeting today after a debate in which only a couple of members took part.

WEAKNESS OF GOVT.

Mr. N. C. Bharucha, moving the resolution, said that imposition of "indiscriminate and frequent" curfew orders was not a remedy. They created wrong mass psychological reactions which tended to make Indians the laughing stock of the world "at a critical stage in the country's progress." He asked for stern measures against offenders the lack of which hitherto in his view, manifested the "weakness" of the Government.

Mr. S. K. Patil, speaking after Mr. R. K. Tatnis seconded the motion, said that he shared with the mover his indignation at the continuance of the disorders. But they had to face fact and realities Measures for the punishment of the criminal elements were bound to affect the innocent citizens as well who were, in the ulumate analysis, responsible to the Government to preserve peace in their particular localities. It was an open secret, he said, that the community, in many instances protected the culprits. Taking a larger view of things, Mr. Patil felt that until a better way of preventing disorders was found, it was unwise to pass strictures on a Government that was doing its best to restore harmony in the city. The resolution was lost by a majority.

HOUSING FACILITIES TO POOR

The Corporation adopted a resolution moved by Mr. I. S. Patel asking Municipal Commissioner to report on the measures so far taken for providing housing facilities to the poor classes in the city. Mr S. K. Patil pointed out that the handling of such a big task as the provision of accommodation to the city's millions could not be the sole responsibility of the Corporation but only a joint one between it and the Government. "Laying the foundation stone of a few tenements will not solve the problem," said Mr. Jamnadas Mehta who recommended the import of prefabricated houses from foreign countries.

Earlier, the Corporation threw out an adjournment motion by Mr. Jamnadas Mehta "to draw attention to the tragedy of dismemberment of the country," after an appeal by the leader of the Congress Party not to pass a cerdict on an issue "that is in the hands of our leaders."

The Mayor, Mr A. P. Sabavalla briefly referred to the political situation in the country and said that with the acceptance of the British plan by the major parties "as the only and inevitable consequence of the present situation", it might be hoped that mutual strige and killing would cease. He observed that the underlying idea of the plan was the recognition of the principle of self-determination.

For the first time in the history of the Corporation, microphones had been fitted up for the meeting

KALBADEVI SHOOTING CASE

Further Evidence Recorded

BOMBAY, Monday.

Giving evidence in the Kalbadevi Shooting Case before Justice Weston, Special Judge, at the Bombay High Court, Chaudhery Santaram Panday a panch-witness from Ludhiana stated today that a few days after the shooting at Kalbadevi the house of the father of the second accused at Sakkar Bazar, Ludhiana was searched by the Police and some photos of the second accused were seized. He was present when the panchanama was made by the Police.

ARMS-SURRENDER IN LUDHIANA

The witness further revealed that next day he was called at the Ludhiana Police Station when he saw the father of the second accused produce a revolver and sixty-four cartridges in the presence of the Police officers. These were taken charge of by the Police and a panchnama was made.

Durgashankar Bhagwandas the 32-year-old panwala having his shop on the Kalbadevi Road deposed that a little before 11 a.m. on the day of the shooting he was sitting in his panshop. Two of his friends stood by. They were talking in a light vein. Suddenly he heard the report of some shots fired from the direction of Bhuleshwar. People were running helter-skelter some towards his shop. Standing up he saw a greenish-coloured saloon car proceeding along the Kalbadevi Road. When it passed by his shop he could see the muzzle of a gun, about five inches in length protruding from the window of the rear seat of the car.

Witness further stated that the man who was holding the gun pulled it inside and appeared to be reloading the same. A little later he again heard gun shots fired from the car. He remembered having seen both the men in the car. Both of them were young men with swallow complexion and medium build.

Two months later in the course of an identification parade he had identified the second accused as the person whom he had seen driving the car.

COLLEGIAN'S EVIDENCE

Jayantilal Natwarlal Parekh, a 21-year-old collegian who was one of the victims of the shooting narrated before the court how he came across his injury on the day of the shooting.

He was going to college from his residence at Bhuleshwar. Near Edward Cinema he heard some shots being fired and was startled. Looking around he saw a panicky crowd running along Dhobi Talao. He also began to r with them and subsequently entered a shop on the Picket Road for safety. Just then a green-coloured car flashed past him and he s a man firing from the car on both sides of the road. He too unfortunately received a bullet wound on his left leg and fell down. Later a passerby removed him to the J. J. Hospital where his injured leg was amputated under medical advice.

Mr. Motabhai Dumasia, a panch-witness, then explained elaborately how identification parades were held in his presence at the C.I.D. office and how some of the witnesses who were brought there by the police succeeded in identifying the accused whereas others failed to do so.

INDO-JAPANESE TRADE

BOMBAY, Monday

A reception was accorded by the East India Cotton Association to Mr. Tulsidas Kilachand, Mr. Jehangir Patel and Mr. Abu Futehally, members of the Indian Trade Delegation to Japan this evening at the Association Hall.

Presiding over the function, Sir Purshotum Thakurdas, President of the Association remarked that the problem of Indo-Japan trade relations should be looked from the point of view of the eventual progress of Indian industrialisation and welfare of her cotton growers. He suggested that an ambassador should be sent to Japan to follow what was happening in that country especially in the field of commerce and industry affecting foreign countries.

Earlier in the afternoon, Mr. S. M. Chinai, another member of the Delegation was given a "send off" by the Silk Merchants' Association at the premises of the Association.

SUPPLY OF GOODS INADEQUATE

Britain Must Come To India's Rescue, Says Kirloskar

(From Our Correspondent.)

POONA, June 9: Presiding over the thirteenth Annual General Meeting of the Mahratta Chamber of Commerce and Industries at Poona, on Sunday evening, Mr. Shantanrao Kirloskar, while presenting the Committee's report of the work done during 1946-47, reviewed the economic situation of the country in the context of inadequate supplies of necessities of life and made a fervent appeal to Government, industrialists and labour to concentrate their attention on more and still more production of goods.

Mr. Kirloskar referred to the forthcoming negotiations on the repayment of Sterling Balances. He criticised Dr. Dalton's plea for the scaling down the said balance as immoral and hoped that the Indian Delegation would make it clear to the British Government spokesmen that the inflationary prices in India were the direct result of the Sterling Balances and that if the present misery of the Indian masses due to shortage of goods was to be remedied, Britain must supply to India Capital Goods at reasonable prices. He laid special stress on the advisability of having the Balances paid back in the shortest period possible.

Mr. Kirloskar lent his wholehearted support to the Maharashtra Unification movement and observed that for Maharashtra to come into its own and develop to its full stature, it was absolutely necessary to bring together the contiguous Marathi speaking areas and there could be no question of Bombay not being included in it. All talk of its being industrially developed by the financial resources of non-Maharashtrians was beside the point in as much as no industry is developed only with capital. "Capital is only one among the many factors of production" he pointedly observed.

STALINGRAD YOUTH MEMORIAL COMMITTEE

The Secretary of the Committee writes:—

At a meeting of the Stalingrad Youth Memorial Committee it was decided to hold an exhibition on health conditions in India with the help of medical students and young artists. The materials for exhibition are now ready and will be dispatched in the second week of this month.

The exhibition depicts the health conditions in India with a series of charts, photographs and sketches. It will be first sent to Prague for the World Youth Festival. It will be there handed over to the Soviet Delegation.

The materials for the exhibition will be exhibited before the Committee members, a few members of the medical profession and other prominent citizen on the 10th inst. from 4-30 p.m. to 7-30 p.m. at a small function at the Forbes Gujrathi Hall, Vithalbhai Patel Road. Dr. B. B. Vodh will inaugurate the function. Shri. Mama Warerkar will preside.

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WITH EFFECT from TUESDAY, June 10, 1947, 'A' Ward Rationing Office will be shifted from its present premises in the 'Red Bungalow' to the QUEEN'S BARRACKS (Blocks Nos 11 and 12), opposite Golwala Baths Churchgate Reclamation Road.

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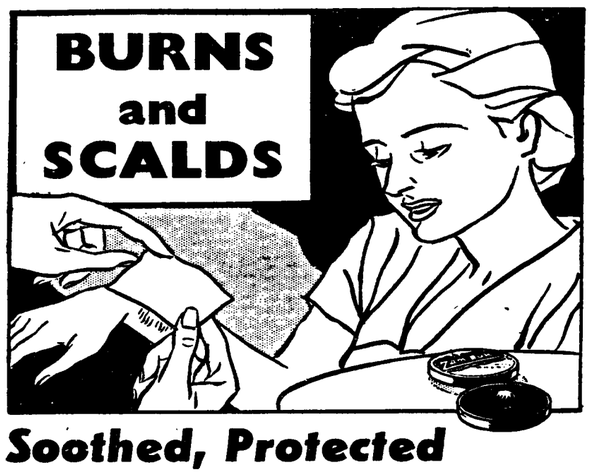

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U. S. BACKS WRONG HORSE IN HUNGARY

"No Danger Of Russia Trying To Bolshevize Europe"

PRAGUE, June 8 (U.P.A.): Count Michael Karolyi, elder Hungarian democratic statesman, said today that the United States was "backing the wrong horse" in Hungary.

"The time will come when America will find she missed a wonderful opportunity to... proposing a new deal for Europe," he said. The tall, 72-year-old nobleman who renounced the Hungarian aristocracy as "pro-German," said in an interview with the United Press that "the United States is backing the people who wanted to overthrow the actual regime and set up an Ersatz Horthy dictatorship. There's no doubt that a conspiracy existed and was promoted by the people who collaborated with the Horthy fascists, allied with the Axis during the war."

Karolyi, 'en route' to London from Budapest on an "unofficial" mission, said, "The greatest danger to Hungary is not communism but the danger of falling back into the hands of the people who misgoverned it for 25 years. With only German backing, the Hungarian nobility kept the country in a semi-feudal fascist state."

Karolyi, whose own government was overthrown in 1919 by Communist Bela Kun, added, "Hungary is still ruled today by four-party coalition It was the Smallholders who carried out their own purge. As for Hungary already being a Communist country, England is hardly Communist, yet they are anead of us in nationalization. European events must be seen in the light of the current economic and social conditions. After two devastating wars, Europe has become a beggar. It needs a new deal."

Karolyi said, "You preach America for Americans and you have the Monroe Doctrine. The same should apply to Europe. Yet America considers the Bolshevik danger so great when anything approaching a new European system is attempted that she backs her enemies of barely 24 hours before.

"There is no danger of Russia trying to Bolshevize Europe. What she does want is to make sure she is not surrounded by enemies. You incredibly underestimate your own country and your power if you think that Russia, bled white by the war is a military threat. Don't make two worlds and make us choose between them. That would only lead to war and I know I wouldn't like to be the winner of a new war."

U. S. TO TAKE HUNGARIAN ISSUE TO U. N. O.

WASHINGTON, June 8 (UPA).—Informed sources said the United States campaign would start with a stiff note of protest to Russia over the Communist grab of power in Hungary and would be followed with concrete action to safeguard Italy and France against similar red coloured upheavals. The note to Russia was still being drafted but will be sent soon

The sources said the United States has little hope of restoring a free government to Hungary at present, although she may take the issue to the United Nations in the slim hope that pressure of world opinion might force the Soviet to back down.

The sources predicted a decisive struggle and one which may precipitate a first class diplomatic crisis within the next 60 days.

BRITAIN MAY SUPPORT U.S.

LONDON, June 8 (UPA).—Well informed British sources speculated tonight that Britain probably will decide to go along with the United States in asking a Big Three inquiry into developments in Hungary.

A Foreign Office spokesman declined to confirm this but said Britain was considering the proposed American note to Russia on the Hungarian situation and would reply in the next day or two.

Elementary Civil Rights Granted To People Of Nepal

Congress Committee Calls Off Satyagraha

NEW DELHI, June 9 (U.P.I.): In view of the promise of the Maharaja of Nepal to concede elementary civil rights to the people and the advice given by Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru, the Executive Committee of the Nepali National Congress has called off the satyagraha in Nepal.

The Committee which met under the presidentship of Mr. Kairola, passed a resolution which says: "Although it is not satisfied with the scope and extent of the reforms suggested in the announcement of the Maharaja of Nepal on May 16 last, it calls off the satyagraha so as to create a cordial atmosphere between the Government and the people for the implementation of the announced reforms."

The resolution further urges the Nepal Government to forthwith release all political prisoners.

POLITICAL RIOTS IN ITALY

ROME, June 9, (Reuter): Italian troops with tanks dispersed political rioters at Cremona yesterday, according to the Milan Correspondent of "Messaggero" newspaper here today

A number of people, including the local Police Chief, were injured in the struggle reported to have begun when a crowd, including women, attacked the people who were getting to the local Congress of the Uomo Qua Un Que Party (Party of the Common Man), accused by its opponents of Fascist tendencies.

PROMINENT LEAGUER OF BIHAR DEAD

PATNA, June 9 (UPI).—Information has just been received that Nawab Sayed Mohammed Ismail, leader of Opposition in the Bihar Legislative Assembly and former President of the Bihar Provincial Muslim League died in Kurseon yesterday morning. He was the biggest Muslim zamindar in Bihar. He was 61 at the time of his death and left two sons behind.

The dead body is being brought here by today evening train when the burial will take place.

Govt. Starts Research In Vanaspathi

NEW DELHI June 9 (API): Two research schemes on vanaspathi have been sanctioned by the Central Food Department, one to determine the nutritive value of vanaspathi and that other to determine its effect on human beings.

Research on the first will be conducted at the Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, and the University College of Scieace at Calcutta and research on the second will be carried out at Bombay, Delhi and Mysore or Madras.

Another research scheme sanctioned is in connection with a pilot plant for the manufacture of soya bean milk.

SADHUS ARRESTED

NEW DELHI.—Fourteen Sadhus were today arrested for demonstrating in front of the north block of the Imperial Secretariat.

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French Railway Strike Spreading

De Gaulle Forced To Cancel Important Engagement

PARIS, June 8 (Reuter). General Charles De Gaulle was among the thousands whose plans have been disrupted this week-end by the strike of over 500,000 French railway workers.

A Free French ex-servicemen's ceremony near Paris, at which he was to have spoken, was cancelled because of the travel difficulties.

Hundreds of British tourists were stranded at channel ports despite special road transport improvised by the French Minister of Transport M. Jules Moch. In Paris British Army lorries ran a shuttle service to Le Bourget airport, Paris, where special planes were waiting to take them home.

The French Federation of Road Transport workers has declared that it would take no steps to make up for the lack of railway transport and that the emergency measures adopted by the Government were the entire responsibility of the Minister of Transport.

The strike spread today to Strasbourg, the last big town to hold out.

Paris stations were closed and empty and drivers of private cars and lorries earned fantastic sums outside Parisians, anxious to have their usual summer Sunday in the country, largely used bicycles to get out of the city.

British passengers who crossed the channel today will have to carry on without luggage because the Calais railway strike committee refused to unload it. All freight including luggage, mail bags parcels, five cars and five motor cycles remained on board the cross channel steamer "Canterbury" when she sailed back to Dover later today

Among those stranded and returning to England were a London Cypriot couple who had saved for 10 years for a holiday in their native country.

Palestine Must Be Saved From Soviet Communism

Sumner Welles Warns Against Economic Collapse

WASHINGTON, June 8, (APA). Palestine's economic structure "would be destroyed by any form of Soviet Communism," Sumner Welles, former American Under Secretary of State, declared in Washington last night.

'The position taken by the United States on the Palestine question held the key to peace in that country, he said in his weekly broadcast.

"The United States is offered a magnificent opportunity for constructive and enlightened leadership," he said.

Palestine's labour movement was strongly anti-Communist, he said. The final solution, he asserted, would eliminate "one of the gravest menaces to world peace which has arisen since the war. He urged the United Nations to back its "decision on Palestine with the necessary force to enforce it successfully."

The United Nations must be prepared, he said, "to assume the burdens which will inevitably arise in carrying out the provisions of any equitable solution" of the problem.

Rs. 5,000 FINE IMPOSED ON KAPURTHALA VILLAGE

PHAGWARA, June 6 (APT).—A collective fine of Rs. 5000 has been imposed by His Highness Government on the members of one community of Ranipur, a village near Phagwara in Kapurthala State

The Magistrate of Phagwara has been directed to collect the fine within a week.

The fine has been the sequel of a clash between two parties of villagers in which three persons including a woman were killed and another injured.

One person was arrested under the Arms Act for keeping in possession an unlicenced revolver and a hand-grenade which were recovered from his suit-case following a search of the lorry in which he was travelling on the Jullundur-Kapurthala Road.

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the Ahirs and the Meos were still fighting. It was reported that they did not descend to inhuman levels and spared women and children on large scale. They were burning huts, which to the dwellers were as precious as palaces to the Princes. He appealed to the parties to cease hostilities when the Congress and the League had come to an agreement. The people that respect it had to cease fighting amongst themselves.

Someone had suggested that he should become the arbitrator between the fighters. He could not do so He did not know the combatants. Nor had he ever been a self-styled arbitrator. He would have no sanction behind his award. He had not in mind the sanction of the sword. He meant the sanction of public opinion. In any event let the parties regard his appeal in the shape of an award which they should carry out.

Referring next to the move for United Sovereign Bengal, he said that some people had told him that the move was a sinister one. The Hindus were fed up and wanted to divide the Western from the Eastern Bengal. The Bengal Muslim League had also rejected the unity plan, but some people were still persisting with it and it was said to be due to the fact that Gandhiji was behind the move. He wanted to make it clear that he could never support any questionable practice. He was told that money was being spent like water to buy votes in favour of United Bengal. He appreciated unity, but not at the cost of honour and justice. He was taken to task for supporting Sarat Babu. He was undoubtedly his friend. He was in correspondence with him. But he would never be guilty of supporting anything that could not be publicly and honestly defended. That was his universal practice. He did not believe in questionable means even to secure a worthy end.

RESPECT AGREEMENT BETWEEN CONGRESS AND LEAGUE

Mahatma's Call To Cease Fighting In Gurgaon: Views On United Sovereign Bengal Move

NEW DELHI, June 8 (A.P.I.): Addressing today's post-prayer meeting Mahatma Gandhi referred to the move for a United Sovereign Bengal and said he would never be guilty of supporting anything that could not be publicly and honestly defended. He did not believe in questionable means even to secure a worthy end. He appreciated unity, but not at the cost of honour and justice he added.

Mahatma Gandhi appealed to the people of Gurgaon to cease fighting among themselves

Following is the authorised version of Mahatma Gandhi's speech

Before the prayer began as the people were talking among themselves Mahatma Gandhi appealed to them to become perfectly quiet. They responded at once. He, however, continued his talk and reminded the audience how needful silence was if they were to listen to the voice of silence within. If they were in tune with the infinite they would not move from their place even though bullets may rain over them.

Mahatma Gandhi again referred to the death of Prof Kasumbi at Sevagram Ashram. He read a letter from Balwant Singhji of the Ashram giving a graphic description of the Professor's last moments. He (the Professor) had gone in perfect peace as if he was starting on a pilgrimage.

Turning to the situation in Gurgaon, Mahatma Gandhi said the jats,

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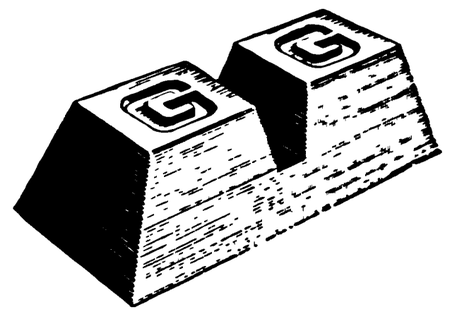

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COTTON PRICES DECLINE AFTER STEADY OPENING

Bullion Market Quiet On Scattered Realising

Bombay, June 9

The Bombay Stock Exchange ruled very steady to-day with moderate buying. After the rise there was scattered liquidation but the undertone was good. It is said some professional operators are supporting the market while others believe that technical position does not favour any material rise.

It is generally believed that improved political situation is attracting moderate support but the economic outlook remains uncertain and it is difficult to form any responsible opinion. In due course Hindustan and Pakistan will have to arrive at an agreement about currency. The departure of the Indian Financial delegation to London is postponed. Thus the market is likely to move with no clarification of the prospective situation. However sentiment will play its important part and the market looks like grinding with profit-taking on upswings and covering on declines.

Tata Steel Defd shares opened today at Rs. 1990 and advanced at Rs. 2040, but reacted at Rs. 2025 on profit-taking. Ordinary shares opened at Rs. 387 and after advancing at Rs. 398 steadied at Rs. 396. Bombay Dyeing shares opened at Rs. 1045 and advanced at Rs. 1083. Kohinoors opened at Rs. 626 and after advancing at Rs. 635 steadied at Rs. 632. Simplex shares opened at Rs. 338 and hardened at Rs. 345. Swadeshi shares opened at Rs. 620 and improved at Rs. 626. Central Bank shares were quoted at Rs. 100 and Scindia shares were done at Rs. 31/14.

	Range. Rs.	Diff. Rs.
Tata Steel Dfd.	82 8	+30
Tata Steel Ord.	13	+5 8
Dyeing	55	+35
Kohinoor	23	+10
Swadeshi	24	+14
Nagpur	16	+11
Simplex	11	+5
New Great	17	+18
Gokak	13	+15
Andore	21/4	+14

Towards the close there was renewed buying and Tata Steel Defds improved at Rs. 2045. Ordinary shares were placed at Rs. 399 while Bombay Dyeings were done at Rs. 1100. Kohinoors improved at Rs. 640 while Simplex shares were placed at Rs. 345. Swadeshi shares advanced at Rs. 634. Central Bank shares found buyers at Rs. 102 and Scindia shares changed hands at Rs. 31/12. Associated Cements were done at Rs. 173 while Bombay Burmas were quoted at Rs. 480 Tone of the market was very steady.

MILL SHARES.

Bombay Dyeing 1095 Kohinoor 647 Swadesi 636 Nagpur 313 Simplex 347 New Great 372 Gokak 313 Indore 561/4 Century 900 Colaba 225 I Bleaching 148 Swan 350 Finlay 309 Morarji 595 Edwards 680 Meyer 227.8 Apollo 4,1 I. U. Ord. 16/10 I. U. Dfd. 3 Madhusudan 305 Poddar 335 Khatau 297/8.

STEEL SHARES

Tata Steel Ord. 399/8 Tata Steel Dfd. 2050 Second Pref. 162.

CEMENT

Associated Merger 175.

INDUSTRIES

Burma 487/8 Bellapur 271 Shivrajpur 36 Scindia 32/7 Construction 205 Tata Chemical 14 2 Tata Oil 78 Indian Iron 35 6 Bengal Steel 28/10.

ELECTRIC SHARES

Tram Ordinary 113 Tata Hydro 171 Andhra 1562 8 Tata Power 1635

MILLS (CASH)

Elphinstone 86 Phoenix 1177 8 India Manufacturing 3700 Koorla 290 Dawn 1602/8 David 147/8 New City 228/12 Minerva 210 Bradbury 630 Bharucha (Defd) 8 Bharat 48 8 Mysore 300 Madhavji 17 Model 187/8 Laxmi 1600 Vishnu 610 Western 3600 Standard 562/8 Sholapur 6120 Sassoon Cotton 18. 8 Hindustan 3600 Tata X. D. 80/8 Ahmedabad Advance 460 Sassoon SPP 80 New Union 17 4 Madhusudan B 60 Shrinivas 350 Raja Bahadur 116/4 Berar 375 Victoria 425 Kohinoor Cpn. 70.

ELECTRIC SHARES (CASH)

Ahmedabad 155/10 (New) 106 14 Surat 243/12 New Pref 140 Karachi 132 8 Broach 124 Almer 13 8 Amal [illegible] 20 4 Jaganath 14 12 Nagpur 56 8 Poona 202/8 Bombay Suburban 202/8 Bombay Suburban (New) 164/10

BANK SHARES

Reserve 121/8 Imperial 2225 P. P. 541/4 Central X. R. 99 Coupon 21 India 226 Union 10 Baroda 167 Habib 160 Dena Bank 60 United Commercial 77 Jaipur 60 Hindustan Com. 46 Mysore 460 Exchange (Ordy.) 53 Eastern 105.

INSURANCE

Oriental 5500 Empire 865 New India 80 8 Jupiter 34 Vulcan 16 Indian Mercantile 57/8 Universal Fire 18 Vasant 22/4 British India General 22 Industrial Prudential 40 Neptune 13/6 New Great 27 All-India General 31.

RAILWAYS.

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MISCELLANEOUS

Alcock 585 Steamer 500 Burma New 162 8 Burma Petrol 3/13 Mackenzie 185 Port Canning 75 Kemp 475 Zandu Pharmacy 202/8 Indian Investment Trust 102 Wimco X R 262/8 Dharamsey Chemical 36 Mukund Iron 11/4 Dena Trust 24 Alembic 310 Supreme India 180 Jamwire 110 Bombay Uganda 85 Bombay Motor Cycle 37 India Cement 35 Walchand Nagar Industries 310 United Motor 65 A. C. C. New 54 Bombay Safe Deposit 825.

PREFERENCE SHARES

Tata Steel (1st Pref) 209/6 Tram 50 Andhra Valley 1635 Tata Power 1415 Hydro 133/2 Bombay Steamer 215 Nagpur 685 Swadeshi 150 Vishnu 805 Laxmi 302/12 New Great 268/12 Poddar 116 Shrinivas 101 Elphinstone 123/2 Bradbury 550 Surat Elec. 211/4 Premier Construction (1st Pref) 123 Amalgamated 56 4 Habib 72 Tata Chemical 116/4 Walchand Nagar Industries 250 Jupiter 18 Supreme 120.

OUTSIDE SHARES

Indian Copper 3/3/6 B. I. C. 9/14 Burma Corporation 4/5 New Victoria 5 New Victoria Preference 7 Raja 30 Phalton 110 Gold Mohur 370 New Kaiser-i-Hind 400 Sajjan 290 Osmanshahi 280 Ajamshahi 250 Air Services 14 Air India 180 Birla Motor 8,3 Marshal 7.

RECORD OF ACTUAL TRANSACTIONS IN SHARES.

MILLS.

BOMBAY, June 9.

Apollo 3/15 3,15/6 3/15 4 3/15 4/2 4,1 4,1/6

B. Dyeing 1050 45 60 55 85 75 1100 1095

C. India 297 93 98 97 313

E. Textiles 870 80

Finlay 298 301 297 312 8 12 8

Gokak 302 300 16 13

I. U. (Deld) 2 15 2,13 3 2 15 3

I. U. (Ord.) 15,10 16/3 16 16 10

Indore 540 55 52/8 60 58,12 61 4

Kohinoor 625 30 25 29 24 27 25 27 35 31 38 33 36 34 40 38 47

Madhusudan 305

Meyer 222/8 16/4 30 25 27/8

Model 186,4 87 8

New Great 355 72 70 72

Simplex 338 44 42 49 45 48 44 48 44 47

Swadeshi 612 20 17 26 24 31 29 36

Swan 340 50

Tata Mills 78 81 80/8

Vishnu 595 610

BANKS.

Baroda 165 67

Central 99 98 101 100 101 99

Imperial (Old) 2250 25

Imperial (New) 535 41/4

Reserve 120/8 22 21/8

U. Commercial 75 77,4 77

ELECTRIC.

Ahmedabad 155 55/10

Andhra Valley (Pref.) 1367/8 65

B. Tram (Ord.) 112 12/8 11,8 13 12,8 13

B. Tram (Pref.) 50 49/8 50

Hydro 171

Hydro (Pref.) 133,12 33/2

Power 1625 35

INSURANCE.

I. Mercantile 58 59 57/8

New India 79,8 80/8

Scindia Steam 31,2 31 31 4 31/2 31 15 31,14 32/7

STEEL.

B. Steel 28 28 4 28 28/8 28/4 28/8 28,6 28,10

I. Iron 34,8 35/2 35 35,9 35/6

Tata (Defd.) 1970 95 80 85 75 2045 27 8 50 40 52/8 10 52/8 42/8 50

Tata (Ord.) 388 86 93 91/8 99 96 401 394 400 399 8

Tata (IInd Pref.) 162 62 8

MISCELLANEOUS.

Alcock 550 85

A. C. C. (Old) 172 74 72 75

A. C. C. (New) 54 53/8 54

Belapur 263 65 61 68 66 60 67 71

B. B. (Old) 437/8 67/8 62/8 75 72/8 95 85 87/8

B. B. (New) 160 65/10 62/8

B. B. Petrol 3/13 3/12,6 3/13

Port Canning 75

P. Construction 192 205

P. Construction (1st Pref.) 123

Tata Oil 14 13/4 14/8 14 14/4 14/2

Tata Chemical 74/8 78 76/8 78

Wimco 260 61/4 60 65 62/8

Kohinoor Coupon 70 68 70

Central Bank Coupon 25 24 24/8 21

Ahmedabad Elec. (New) 105 106/14

GOLD AND SILVER

Bombay, June 9

The Bullion market was quietly steady with a moderate turnover. Professional operators are still holding key of the price structure. In view of political changes in this country the market is likely to remain uncertain.

Ready Silver opened to-day at Rs. 169 and advanced at Rs. 169/8 under moderate buying but later declined at Rs. 168/12. Ready Gold opened at Rs. 112 and quietened at Rs. 111/12. Sovereigns were quoted at Rs. 72/4.

Later on the market was irregular with scattered buying in Silver and slight liquidation in Gold. Ready Silver was quoted at Rs 169/4 while Gold was placed at Rs. 111/10.

The market finally closed as under:

	Rs.	as.	p.
Ready Silver	169	2	0
Ready Gold	111	8	0
Sovereigns	72	0	0

PRODUCE MARKET

Bombay, June 9

The Produce market was very steady on speculative buying and short covering on hopes of export business and fears of ban on exports of Castorseeds and Linseed from Nizam State.

Castorseeds September delivery opened to-day at Rs. 141 and advanced at Rs. 143 on professional buying and reacted at Rs. 142/8. Ready demand was good with Goa and Navlakhi delivery at Rs. 29/8 while Cawnpore Bold were quoted at Rs. 28/4. In view of approaching monsoon there was moderate selling from upcountry in Linseed but local shorts were covering. July/August Linseed was quoted at Rs. 27/10 and September stood at Rs. 27/14. Groundnuts were quietly steady. Khandesh quality was quoted at Rs. 31/4, Coromandal at Rs. 30/4 and Bold at Rs. 30. Groundnut Oil Ready Rs. 18/14. June delivery Rs. 18/4 and July delivery Rs. 18/8

Towards the close there was increased selling and Castorseeds declined at Rs. 140/10.

BOMBAY COTTON

Bombay, June 9

The cotton market was steady today under scattered buying. The market opened about one rupee over the last close but owing to absence of demand ruled quiet.

At the opening September delivery was quoted at Rs. 436/8 and declined at Rs. 436/2.

Later on the market was dull and scattered selling brought down September option at Rs. 436.

The market finally closed at 4-30 p.m. as under:—

I. C. C. July	430	0	0
I. C. C. September	435	12	0

NEW YORK COTTON REVIEW

Private Bank For Shipments To Japan

NEW YORK, June 8.

The market was featured by persistent strength of old July attributed mainly to short covering prior to the first notice day on 24th June and growing tightness of supply of old crop cotton despite the fact that Georgia and Alabama mills continue to sell large blocks of their surplus stocks. The statement by a leading industrialist that mathematical probabilities point to shortage of raw cotton and continuing high prices aided new crops but uncertainty over coming crop prospects and inclination to await developments in prospective army purchases of about 60 to 70 thousand bales for Japan tended to restrict activity of these deliveries. In connection with the latter it is said that the army is sounding sentiment on the possibility of the establishment of a private cotton bank for shipments to Japan similar to the plan being drawn up for the German cotton programme. Export circles report that small quantities of U. S. and Brazilian cotton were sold to China with some of this business expected to come under the February-April quota and a part under the May-July allocation period. Southern advices indicate that buying interest in new crop cotton is expanding although actual business is still limited and sellers are disinclined to accept bids readily. The Dept. of Agriculture disclosed that premium for 15,16 inch middling over 7/8 in this year's loan will be 145 points compared with 155 last year.

FREE HEARING AID FOR BRITISH DEAF

Early next year, 400,000 "Medrescos" (new miracle light-weight hearing aid) will be made available for Britain's deaf. The Ministry of Supply will also provide 100,000 yearly replacements through the Ministry of Health. Deaf folk will undergo tests at one of the 300 clinical centres before being fitted with the 'Medresco' (short for Medical Research Council.) It is the most efficient hearing aid yet evolved and weighs only 12 oz.

FEWER CONSTITUENCIES FOR ENGLAND

The Boundary Commission's plan for the redistribution of Parliamentary seats reduces the English constituencies from 510 to 488. The Commission has proposed 222 county and 266 borough seats — compared with today's 232 and 278. The biggest changes suggested are among the London boroughs — 40 instead of 62 seats.

MONEY MARKET

BOMBAY, June 9.

B. C. Rates 1 1 D D 1/5 15/16 Ready.

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London Banks Selling T. T. D. D. 1/5 31/32 Ready

London Banks Selling T. T. D. D. 1/5 15/16 up to 6 Months.

London Banks Buying T. T. 1/6 1/32 to 9th Months

London Banks Buying T. T. 1/6 1/16 10th-12th Months.

London Banks Buying D. D. 1/6 1/16 to 4th Months

London Banks Buying D. D. 1/6 3/32 5th and 6th Months

London Banks Buying D. D. 1/6 1/8 7th-9th Months

London Banks Buying 60 and 90 d/st 1/6 1/8 to 4th Months.

London Banks Buying 60 and 90 d/st 1/6 5/32 5th and 6th Months.

London Banks Buying 60 and 90 d/st 1/6 3/16 7th and 9th Months.

London Banks Buying 120 d/st. 1/6 5/32 to 4th months.

London Banks Buying 120 d/st. 1/6 3/16 5th and 6th Months.

London Banks Buying 120 d/st. 1/6 7/32 7th and 9th Months.

NEW YORK & MONTREAL RATES

B.C. Rate T. T. Rs. 332 1/4.

Banks Selling T T. D. D. Rs. 332 1/4.

Banks Buying T. T. Rs. 330.

Banks Buying D. D N. Y. Rs. 329.

Montreal Rs 328 3/4 under L/C.

Banks Buying D D N Y Rs 328 3/4

Montreal Rs 328 1-2 not under L/C

Paris Banks selling F T. Frs 3550

Paris Banks Buying T T Frs 3650

Amsterdam Banks Selling T. T. D D Fl 79.

Java Banks Selling T T D D nil.

Hongkong Banks Selling T. T. D. D. Rs. 84

Singapore Banks Selling T T D D Rs. 157

Burma Banks Selling T T D D Rs. 100 1/2

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TRADING IN COTTON MARKET

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HIGH & LOW COTTON PRICES

BOMBAY, June 7.

	Highest	Lowest	Closing
Sept.	436	435-1/4	435-7-8
July Karachi 4 F	45-15-9	45-13-3	45-14-3

INDIAN COTTON PARITY

Indian September Contract is 1436 cent points below New York September at Exchange rate 331.

BENGALI WOMEN DEMAND ROY'S RESIGNATION

Demonstrate In Front Of His House In New Delhi

NEW DELHI, June 8 (API).—Mr Kiran Shanker Roy, Leader of the Congress Party in the Bengal Assembly, faced today a hostile demonstration of nearly a hundred Bengalee women who assembled in front of Mr. Roy's residence, and demanded his resignation from the Congress Party.

The demonstrators protested against Mr. Roy's negotiations with Mr. H. S. Suhrawardy, Bengal Premier for a United Sovereign Bengal.

Mr. Kiran Shanker Roy is reported to have told the demonstrators that he would resign from the Congress only when he was asked by the Congress [illegible] himself.

Mr. Roy, it is further reported, said that he was in Delhi at the instructions of the Congress High Command to carry on further talks for a Coalition Ministry in Bengal and to preserve the unity of the province.

NAVAL "MUTINY" IN COLOMBO

COLOMBO, June 9. (Reuter): About 500 men of the Royal Navy Service Corps of the Ceylon Command were reported today to have "mutinied" yesterday at the Kirrillapone Camp, about 6 miles from Colombo, complaining of bad treatment by some British officers and objecting to being used to break up strikes.

Military police were sent to the spot and restored order. Several Ceylon personnel were taken into custody.

Military authorities said today that there had been a "minor incident" at the camp and that this had been satisfactorily settled. A court of enquiry was now sitting.

Official details would not be available until the enquiry was finished.

A military Spokesman said later that the incident was trifling and the situation was perfectly quiet now.

INTERNATIONAL SOCIALIST CONFERENCE

German Social Democratic Party Refused Admission

ZURICH, June 8. (Reuter): Germany's Social Democratic Party, the main Socialist organisation of the western zones, was refused admission to the International Socialist Conference here today.

A long plea by Dr. Kurt Schumacher, the Party's Chairman, failed to secure the necessary two-thirds majority after discussion which took up the whole day.

Nine socialist parties including British, voted for the German Party: Those voting against were the East European countries and Palestine five countries abstained.

All countries except two who abstained, voted in favour of a second motion which established a commission to maintain contact with the Germans and report to the next International Conference.

The countries voting for Germany's admission were Britain, France, Holland, Luxembourg Sweden, Finland Norway, Denmark and Austria. Those against were Poland, Hungary, Rumania Czechoslovakia and Palestine.

Switzerland, South Africa Belgium Italy and Greece abstained.

The Commission which is to maintain contact with the Germans will consist of representatives of Belgium France Britain, Norway Holland, Switzerland Czechoslovakia Austria and Sweden.

STEAMER ABLAZE IN ALEXANDRIA HARBOUR

ALEXANDRIA, June 9 (A.P.A.): The steamer, "Malayan Prince", 8,593 tons, of the Prince line has been ablaze since yesterday morning in Alexandria harbour where she has been unloading a big cargo since Thursday.

The whole of the Alexandria fire brigade was still fighting the fire last night.

The fire, whose cause has not yet been ascertained, broke out in a lower hold with lightning rapidity.

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INDIAN STOCK EXCHANGE.

BOMBAY, June 9.

Tata Ordinary 399/8; Tata Deferred 2050; Indian Iron 35/8; Steel Corpn of Bengal 28/10; Bombay Dyeing 1096; Central India 313/2; Gokak 313/2; Kohinoor 646 14; Simplex 347; Swadeshi 636 4; Tata Power 1635; Associated Cement 175; Belapur 271 4; Bombay Burma (Old) 487/8; Scindia 32/8; Central Bank 98/12; New India 80; Tata 2nd Pref. 162/8.

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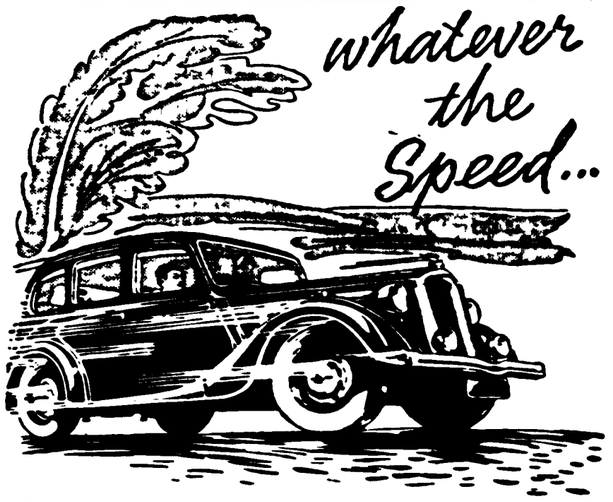

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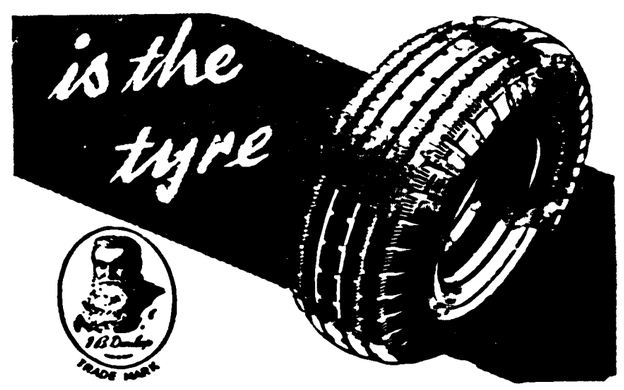

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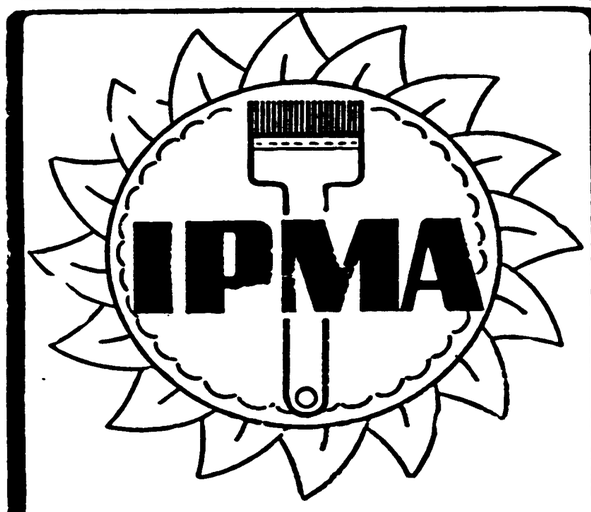

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IT IS? YOU MEAN 1946 IS GONE IT'S 1947?
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WELL — HAPPY NEW YEAR!
TOOT
1946
YOU BOOB, I JUST TOLD YOU NEW YEAR'S IS OVER! GONE! THREE WEEKS AGO!
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Applications are invited for the post of Principal, Islamia College, Peshawar, in the grade of Rs. 1,000-50-1,500. Free house provided on the premises and liberal Provident Fund on confirmation. Persons with high academic qualifications, teaching experience in a recognised institution for at least ten years, capacity for organising and administering a residential institution and with established reputation need only apply. Applications stating age, nationality, academic qualifications, extra curricular activities, experience etc., with attested copies of testimonials should reach the Chairman, Council of Management, Islamia College Peshawar, before the 6th July, 1947. Selected candidate will have to join by the beginning of October, 1947. (3937)

Wanted (1) a Superintendent for the Remand Home at Umarkhadi, Bombay 9, on Rs. 200/- P.M. in the grade of Rs. 200-15-350 plus Dearness Allowance of Rs. 15/- and rent-free unfurnished quarters. (2) A Superintendent for the Children's Home at Chembur, on Rs. 170/- P.M. in the scale of Rs. 170-10-300 plus Rs. 10/- Interim Relief Pay plus Dearness Allowance of Rs. 26/- or 17½ p.c. whichever is greater and rent-free unfurnished quarters. (3) Chief Probation Officer on Rs. 170/- P.M. in the grade of Rs. 170-10-250 plus Dearness Allowance of Rs. 15/- P.M. and rent-free unfurnished quarters. (4) Head Master for the Children's Home at Chembur on Rs. 100/- P.M. in the grade of Rs. 100-5-150 plus Rs. 15/- Dearness Allowance and rent-free unfurnished quarters. Qualifications:— (1 & 2) Graduate of a recognised University with at least 3 years administrative experience. One with a degree or diploma in Psychology or Sociology or Education and with experience of social work and of vocational classes preferred (3) B.A., B.T. of a recognised University, preferably with a degree or diploma in Sociology or Social Sciences. One with experience of probation work ability to supervise Probation Officers and plan after-care work on sound lines and having administrative experience preferred. (4) B.A., B.T. of a recognised University. Applicants should ordinarily be below 30 years of age. Probationary period for all the posts is one year. Provident Fund benefit on confirmation. Apply on prescribed form to the Hon. Secretary, The Children's Aid Society, 83 Lady Hardinge Road, Bombay 16, on or before 30th June 1947. Application forms can be had from the Society's office on request. 3931

EDUCATIONAL ADLETS

Davar's College of Commerce— Enrol immediately for New Session commenced 9th June for Specialised Professional Diploma Courses for Bank Officers (C.A.I.I.B.) Company Secretaries (F.C.C.S.) Accountants (R.A., A.A.I.A.) and General Commerce (L.C.C., D.Com.-I.M.G) etc. Tuition personal or through post. Call or write for Prospectus, 51, Esplanade Road. (6154)

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PUBLIC NOTICES

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APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED from non-Muslim candidates to fill the post of Principal, Sanskrit College, Calcutta, in the Bengal Senior Educational Service. Persons holding substantive appointments or appointments on probation against substantive vacancies in the Education (Education) Department, Government of Bengal are eligible to apply. The pay attached to the post is Rs. 300-50/2-600 (efficiency bar) 650-50/2-700—(efficiency bar)—75/2-1,000 with a special pay of Rs. 75 per month. The initial pay of a direct recruit will be according to his age as follows:—

AGE	INITIAL PAY
26 or under	300
27 or 28	350
29 or 30	400
31 or 32	450
33 or 34	500
35 or over	550

The appointment will be made on probation for two years and the person selected will be required to pass a departmental examination in Bengali by the higher Standard, if his mother tongue is not Bengali. Every candidate must possess the following qualifications:—(i) he must possess a First Class Master's degree in Sanskrit of an Indian University or an equivalent degree of a European University with high honours in Sanskrit and have knowledge of modern methods of research. Preference will be given to a candidate who has been trained both in the indigenous and Western methods of Sanskritic studies, (ii) he must produce evidence of having been a successful teacher of Sanskrit and of possessing administrative ability of a high order. Candidates should furnish the following information in their applications:—(1) Name in full (in block letters), (2) Home address, (3) Present address, (4) Present age according to Matriculation certificate, (5) Father's name, (6) Academic qualifications, (7) Experience, (8) Religion and caste. Applications for which no form has been prescribed together with an attested copy of evidence of age as well as certificates from two responsible persons not related to the candidate or connected with him by marriage, testifying to his private character, should reach the Secretary, Public Service Commission, Bengal, Anderson House, Alipore, Calcutta not later than the 30th June, 1947. Canvassing will disqualify. A treasury receipt for Rs. 5 under the head "XXXVI-Misc." must accompany every application. Applications from candidates who are in permanent or temporary employment under any Government in India will be rejected unless they are submitted through the appointing authority of their post or service.

P. B. RUDRA.
Secretary.

Alipore, the 5th June, 1947. 3935

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

I HAVE HANDED OVER to Mr. VASANT X. PRADHAN of Victory Cafe, opp. Aerodrome, Vile Parle, six blank Hundi papers as under on his assurance to get me Rs. 11,000 cash thereon on a flat commission of Rs. 800/- and he has neither paid me the cash nor returned the said Hundi papers to me, the public are hereby warned against dealing with said V. X. Pradhan, in respect of the said Hundis, and if they do so I shall not be responsible for the same.

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All the above Hundis have been signed by me as for Rajhuns Film Productions, Sd. R. S. Junnarkar, Proprietor, and are dated the 25th April 1947.

(Sd.) R. S. JUNNARKAR. 6147

AGENTS WANTED

Wanted:—Agents for Six Shots Pistols, Brass name plate and embossing machine, etc. M|s. Krishna Kumar & Co., Railway Road, Aligarh. (5140)

Wanted District Organisers to push the sale of the remaining unsold shares of the Peninsular Chemical Industries Ltd. on both pay and commission. The medicines of the Company are already in the Market. Apply to Mg. Agents, 115, Canning Street, Calcutta. 3244

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

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PUBLIC NOTICES

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIES AND SUPPLIES

Office of the Director of Supplies
Strand House Ballard Estate
Graham Road, BOMBAY.

THE DIRECTOR OF SUPPLIES invites Tender No. BOM/T/871 to reach him on or before 11 a.m on 17-6-47 on forms (not transferable) obtainable from his office at Rs. 2/- (not refundable) per set to be paid in cash, by Money order, or Indian Postal order (quoting Tender Number, full name and address of the remitter), for:—

Description	Quantity
Umbrellas fancy sticks and fancy assorted handles 8 ribs 25" long covered with best imitation silk cloth	545 Nos.

Applicants not already on the approved list of this Department or the late Department of Supply must give their Bankers reference on applications for tender forms. Tender forms will not be issued to firms already blacklisted. 3922

BOMBAY PORT TRUST

SEALED TENDERS are invited by the undersigned for the fabrication and erection on site of roofing, for an open shed at No. 15 Berth, Victoria Dock, including teakwood trusses, purlins, asbestos cement sheeting, gutters and galvanised iron down-take pipes.

Conditions of contract, specifications, schedule of quantities, tender form and plan can be obtained from this office on payment of Rs. 5/-. No tender will be considered unless it is made on the prescribed form and is accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 500/- by crossed cheque as earnest money. The deposit will be returned to unsuccessful tenderers.

Tenders will be received upto 1-0 p.m. (S.T.) on Friday 27th June 1947.

CHIEF ENGINEER.
Ballard Road, Bombay. 3923

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,
DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIES AND SUPPLIES,

Office of the Director of Supplies,
Strand House, Graham Road,
Ballard Estate, BOMBAY.

TENDER NOTICE

DIRECTOR OF SUPPLIES, Bombay, invites Tender No. Bom|T|1|349 to reach him on or before 11 A.M. on 26-6-1947 on forms (not transferable) obtainable from his office at Rs. 5|- (not refundable) per set to be paid in cash or by Money Order or Indian Postal Order (quoting Tender No. full name and address of the remitter) for:—

Description	Quantity
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3) Cases pillow cotton bleached As per sample No. IS|1214 (to be fabricated from Calico bleached 36" width.)	1000

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G.I.P. RAILWAY TENDERS

THE GENERAL MANAGER invites Tenders for the supply of 22,000 Volts 3 Phase, 50 cycle, Switchgear for Matunga Sub-station. General Conditions, Specification and Drawings can be obtained from the office of the Railway's Controller of Stores. Gipstore Lane, Lower Parel, Bombay No. 13, on payment of Rs. 2/8/- per set which amount will not be refunded. Payment by cheque, Postal Orders and postage stamps will not be accepted. Closing date 10th September 1947 at 3 P. M. (S.T.). 3924

PUBLIC NOTICES

TENDER FOR UMBRELLAS

SEALED TENDERS WITH SAMPLES are invited for the supply of approximately 60 (sixty) Doz. Umbrellas 26", with 8 spokes, rain proof, for the use of Government offices of the State. Tenders without samples will not be considered.

2. Tenderer shall have to supply the material immediately from stock on receipt of the order.

3. Tenders should reach the undersigned before 9-00 hours on Monday the 16th June, 1947, superscribed on the envelope "TENDER FOR UMBRELLAS."

R. G. THAKAR,
I.c. Manager,
Press & Stationery Department,
Baroda.

Baroda,
Dated, 6th June, 1947. (3927)

NOTICE

WANTED URDU knowing Graduates for Government institutions as teachers in the scale of Rs. 45-5-115- E.B. -5-145- E.B. -6-175 plus interim relief pay of Rs. 10 plus dearness allowance at present Rs. 26 in Poona and 22 outside Poona. Apply immediately for particulars to the Educational Inspector, Central Division, Poona 1, before 20th June, 1947.

S. R. TAWDE,
Educational Inspector, C.D.
Poona, 7th June, 1947. (3928)

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Certificates for three fully paid Shares No. 3824, 3781, and 3782, standing in the names of Hon. P.M. Thesiger, A.L.P.F. Wallace and Sir Henery MacNaghton are Lost. Any claim in respect of the said shares should be notified to Messrs. Wallace & Co., Secretaries Treasurers and Managers of the said Corporation at 9, Wallace Street, Fort, Bombay within three months from the date hereof, otherwise duplicate shares certificates will be issued irrespective of any claim in respect thereof

NARANDAS PURSHOTTAM.
SHARE BROKER. 6136

G.I.P. RAILWAY
AUCTION NOTICE

USED GUNNY BAGS, Tea and Soap wooden cases, empty tins etc., will be auctioned at 3 P.M. on the 11th June 1947 at Wadi Bundar, Shed No. 3 Stocks may be inspected at site Conditions governing auction will be available at the office of the Deputy General Manager (Grainshops), Bombay, V. T. 3861

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Handbook of the College and application form can be had from the Principal.

Application with a registration fee of Rs. 2/- (Postal Order or Money Order) must reach the Principal's Office not later than July 1, 1947. 3817

G. I. P. RAILWAY
AUCTION NOTICE.

USED GUNNY BAGS, Tea and Soap wooden cases etc., will be auctioned at 10-00 A.M. on the 16th June, 1947 at Thana grainshop and at 3-00 P.M. on the same date at Kalyan grainshop (near the Loco Shed.) Stocks may be inspected at site on any working day. Conditions governing auction will be available at the office of the Deputy General Manager (Grainshops), Bombay, V. T. 3919

PUBLIC NOTICES

BOMBAY PORT TRUST

TENDERS will be received by the Controller of Stores, Bombay Port Trust, at his office at Clarke Bunder, Mazagaon, Bombay No. 10, up to 1 p.m. S.T.) on Thursday, the 26th June, 1947, for the supply of Pans Closet Indian and European Pattern and C. I. Soil Pipes and Fittings.

Tender forms giving full particulars, which will not be sent per V.P.P., can be obtained from the office of the undersigned on payment of Re. 1 per copy.

F. AHMED.
Controller of Stores. 3934

EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.
TENDER NOTICE
Special Item costing over Rs. 10,000/-
CLASS I CONTRACT

SEALED TENDERS are invited for the following and will be received in the General Manager's Office, East Indian Railway, 105 Clive Street, Calcutta on the 14th July, 1947 at 12 O'clock noon.

Tender No. SP/F/Ebl AX-111 A for the supply of 9256 Nos. Bearing Brass 9" x 4½" Lip to Dy. Chief Mechanical Engineer, Lillooah's Drawing No. AW-111/A.

Tender Forms and Drawings can be obtained from the undermentioned Officials on payment of the following charges to the Treasurer, East Indian Railway, 105 Clive Street, Calcutta and on production of his receipt when applying for the same.

(a) Tender Forms at Rs 5/- per copy from the Controller of Stores' Office, East Indian Railway, 105 Clive Street, Calcutta.

(b) Drawing No. AX-111, A at -/8/- per copy from the Deputy Chief Mechanical Engineer, East Indian Railway, Lillooah.

Firms outside Calcutta may, however, remit the cost of the tender form to the Controller of Stores and that of the Drawings to Deputy Chief Mechanical Engineer, East Indian Railway, Lillooah direct by Money Order.

No refund is permissible after payment.

Sealed tenders delivered by hand should be presented for registration in the General Manager's Office and then put into the Tender Box outside the Deputy General Manager's (Works) room by the Tenderer or his representative.

GENERAL MANAGER. 3926

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Mrs. ROSE DOMINGA D'ABREO, Executrix of the Will of Thomas V. D'Abreo, of Bandra, has contracted to sell the undermentioned property to our client Reverend C. A. D'Abreo.

All persons having any claim against or to the said property by way of inheritance, mortgage, sale, gift, lease, lien, charge, trust, maintenance, easement or otherwise howsoever are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their office at Examiner Press Building, Meadows Street, Fort, Bombay, within 14 days from the date hereof otherwise the sale will be completed without reference to such claim and the same, if any, will be considered as waived.

THE DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

ALL that piece or parcel of Gautan land situate at Palli Danda Road, in the Town of Bandra, Greater Bombay, containing by admeasurement 2,005 sq. yds. or thereabouts together with the buildings standing thereon known as "Belle-Vue" registered by the Collector of Land Revenue under No. 29 in the map marked Sheet Palli and assessed by the Municipality of Bandra under Nos. 65, 66, 66A, 66B and 66C and bounded on or towards the North by a passage on or towards the East by the property of Augustino D'Abreo and brothers, on or towards the South by a passage and on or towards the West by the Palli Danda Road.

Dated this 7th day of June, 1947.
MULJEE, PRADHAN & PEREIRA,
Purchaser's Attorneys. 3939

PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE

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AUCTION SALE OF VALUABLE PROPERTY KNOWN AS ANAND BHUVAN THEATRE WITH FURNITURE AND ALL INSTALLATION FITTINGS THEREIN AT AHMEDABAD.

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Piece of land with building and structures known as "Anand Bhuvan Theatre" with furniture and installation fittings and other articles lying in the said Theatre situate at Ghee Kanta near Civil Hospital, admeasuring about 1600 sq. yds and bounded on the East by the compound of Gola's Wadi on the South and West by Public Road and on the North by Survey No. 1596:—

Also the furniture, electric installation fittings and other articles provided by the vendor lying in the Theatre, a list whereof may be inspected at the Office of M/s. Bakubhai Ambalal & Co. or M/s. Payne & Co., the vendor's Attorneys.

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AUCTION SALES.

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IN INSOLVENCY
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The dividend will be paid on and after the 16th day of June 1947 to those creditors who have proved their claims. The Dividend Warrants will be posted to the addresses of the creditors as appearing in the records of this office.

Serial No.	Insolvency No.	Name of the Insolvent.	Dividend declared.	Rate of dividend declared in the rupee. Rs. As. Ps.
1.	36 of 1940	Kanmarth Kunhi Anant Namhar	SECOND & FINAL	7
2.	425 „ 1936	Issac Abraham Jeweller	THIRD	2
3.	207 „ 1940	Patrick Kenneth	-do-	9
4.	169 „ 1938	Dattatray Ramkrishna Tikekar	THIRD & FINAL	4½
5.	377 „ „	Morarji Keshavji Thakkar	-do-	1
6.	26 „ 1939	Anthony Henriques alias F. A. Henriques	-do-	1—10
7.	714 „ 1936	Shivshanker Devraj Oza	FOURTH	3
8.	541 „ 1937	James Leonard Williams	-do-	3
9.	119 „ 1939	Lewis Marceline Fernandez	-do-	7
10.	1 „ 1934	Framroze Merwanji Mehta	FOURTH & FINAL	1— 4
11.	530 „ „	Chhagonlal Bhawanishanker Vyas & Anr.	-do-	6
12.	669 „ „	Thomas Alexander Rowe	SIXTH & FINAL	4
13.	243 „ 1939	Penroze Reuben Daniells	SUPPLEMENTARY AND FINAL	1½
14.	45 „ 1940	Thomas Harold Tate	-do-	10½

Bombay, dated this 9th day of June, 1947.

Official Assignee's Office,
High Court, Bombay.

G. G. MAHADEVIA,
Official Assignee of Bombay. (3932)

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